



THE
SHIELD
1980-1981

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THE SHIELD

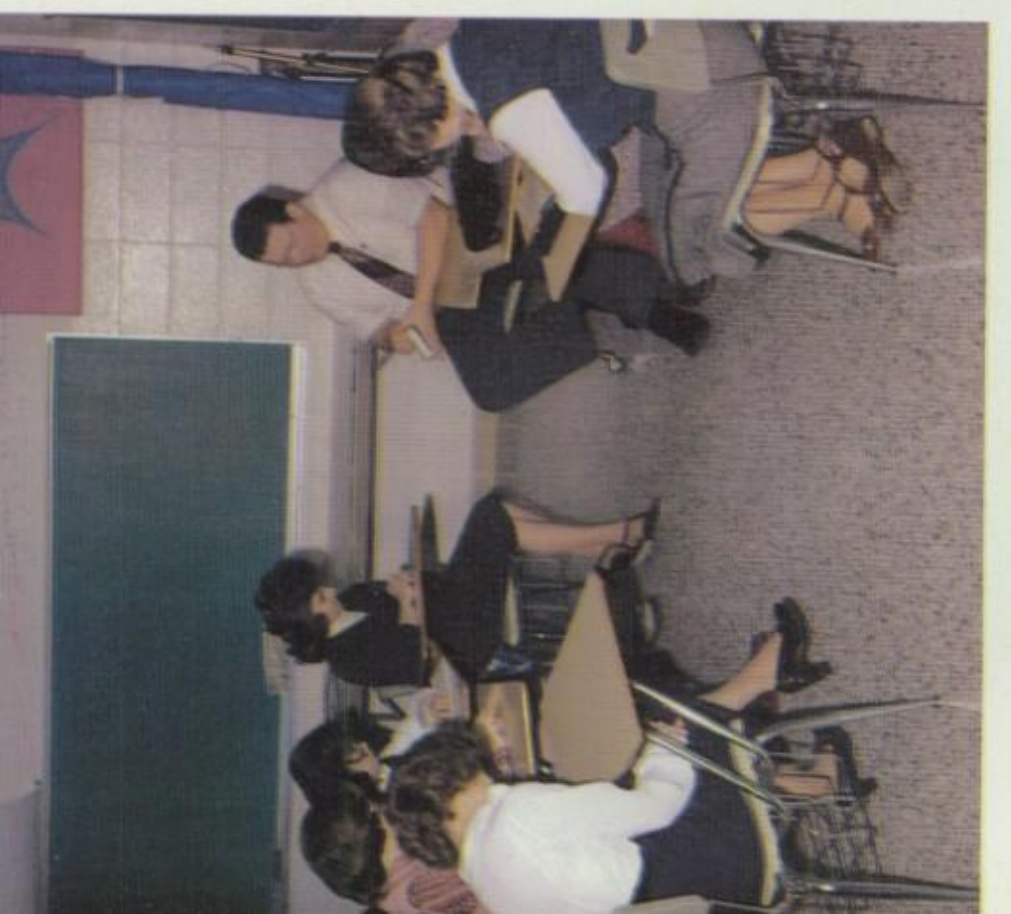
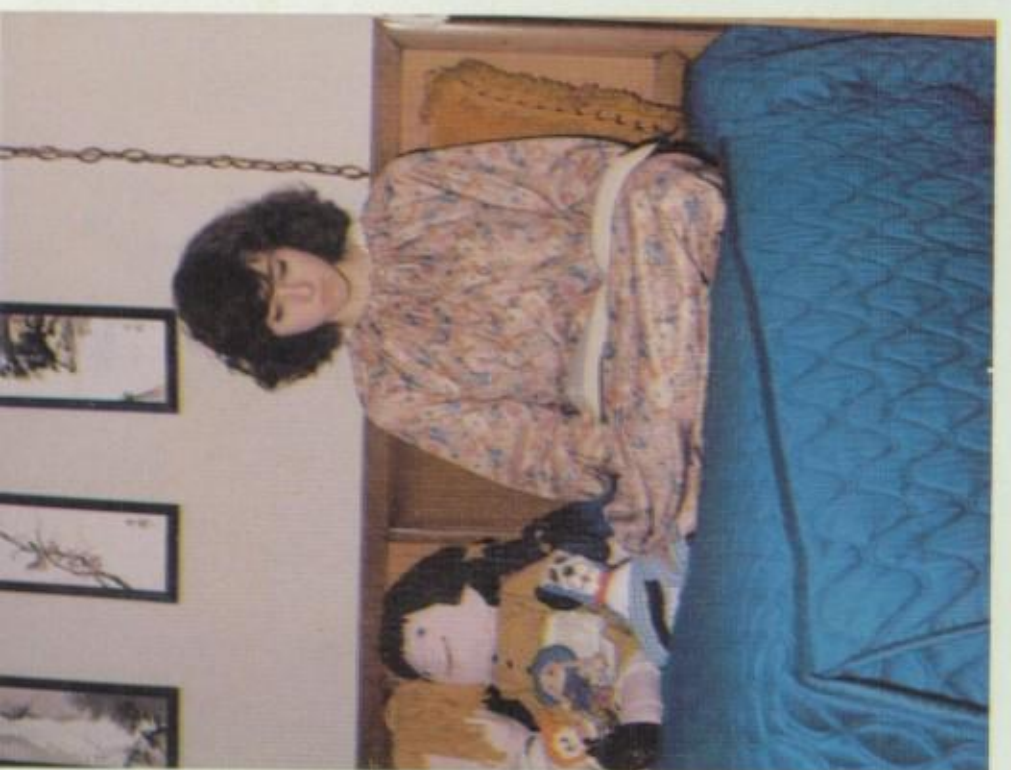
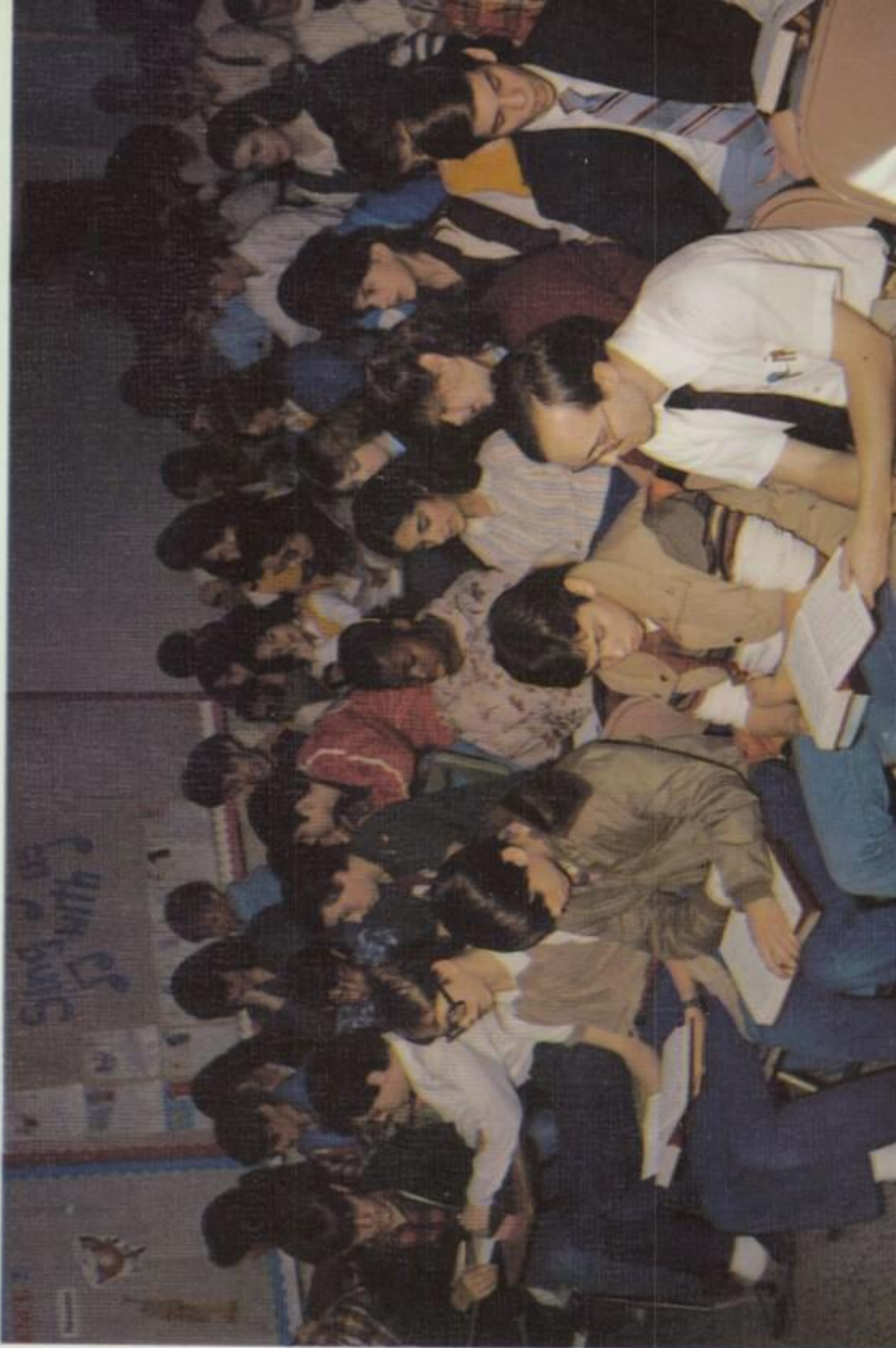
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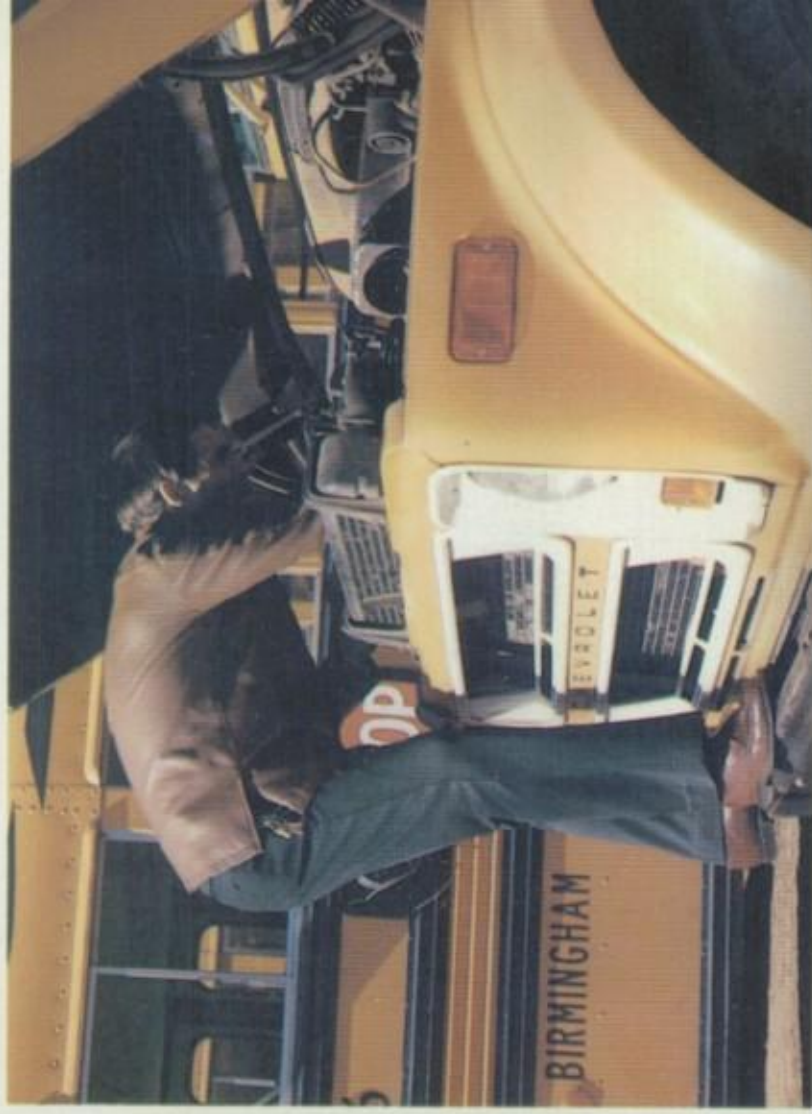
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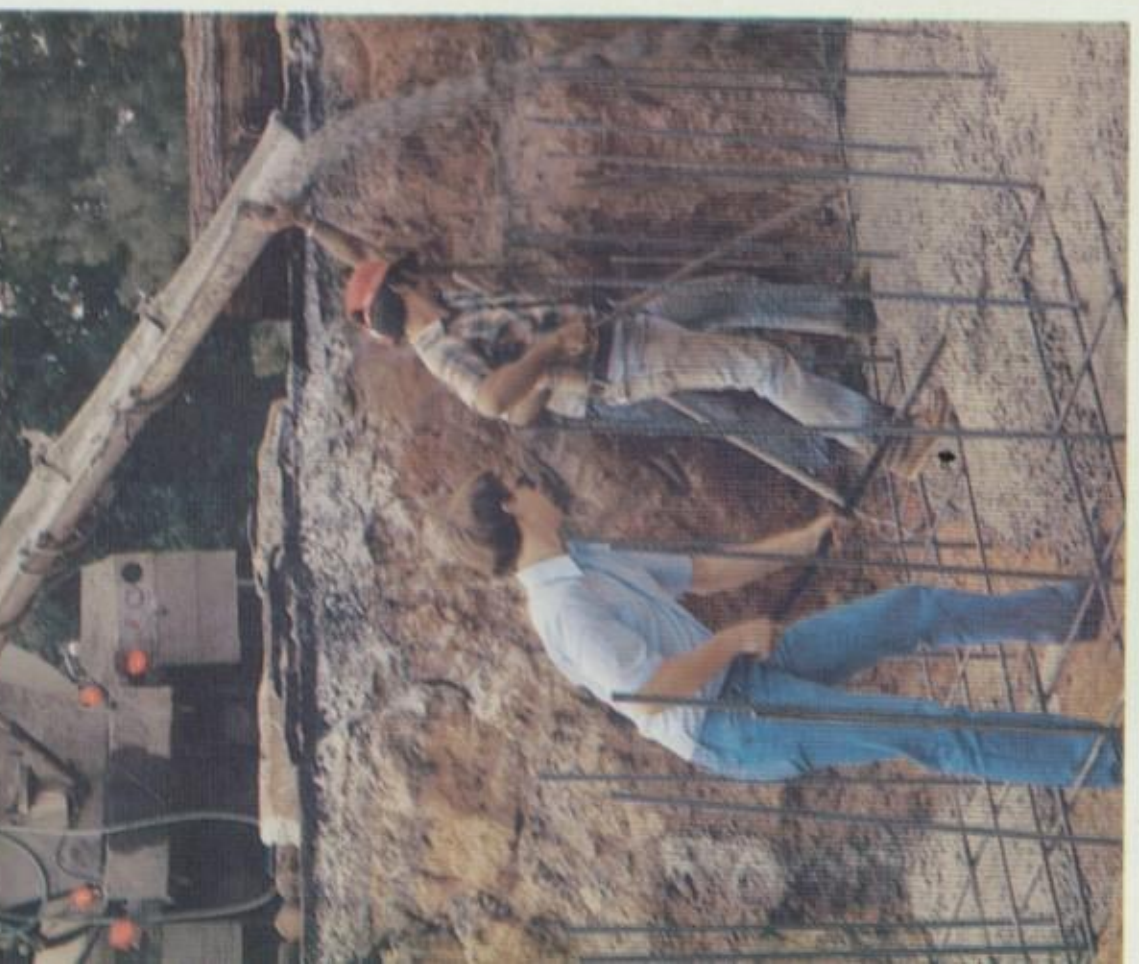
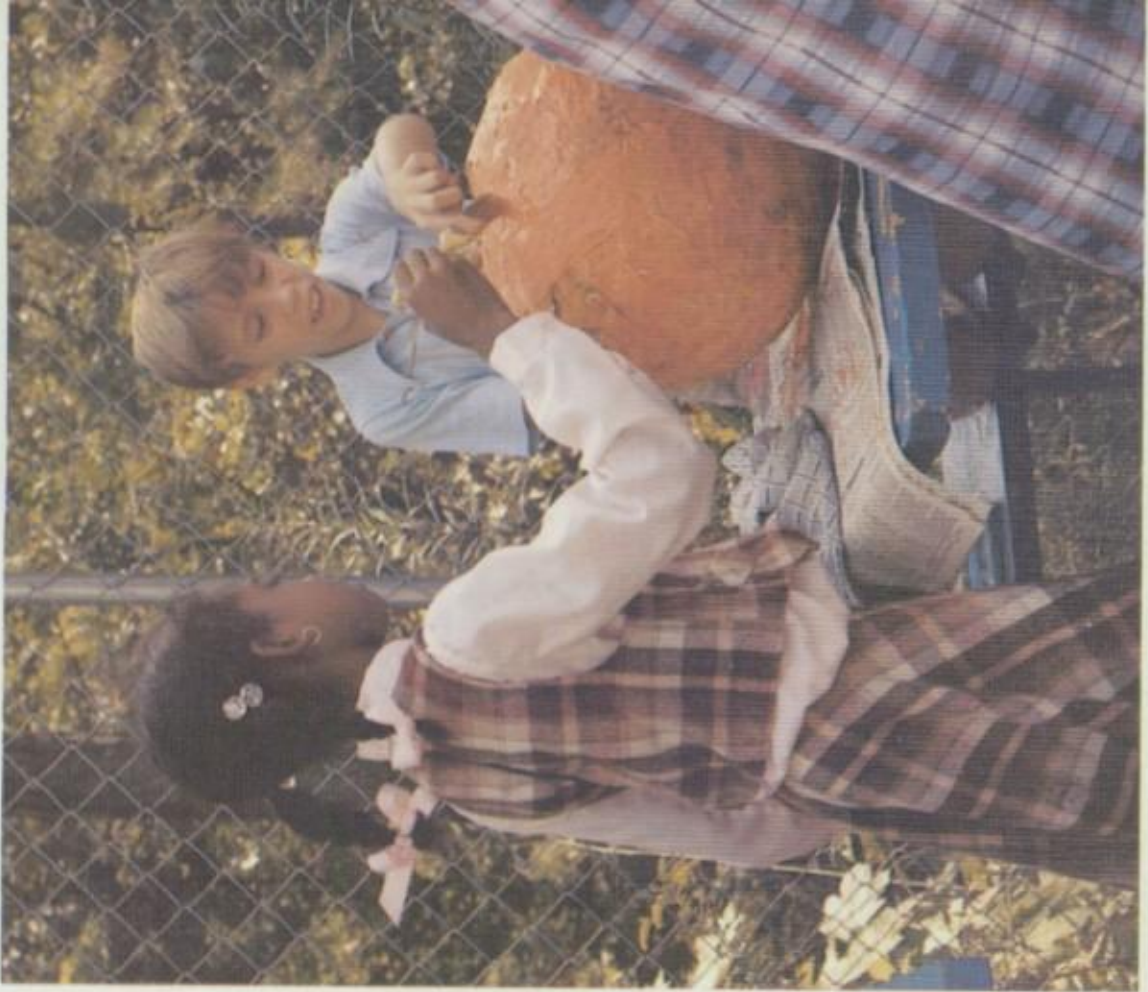
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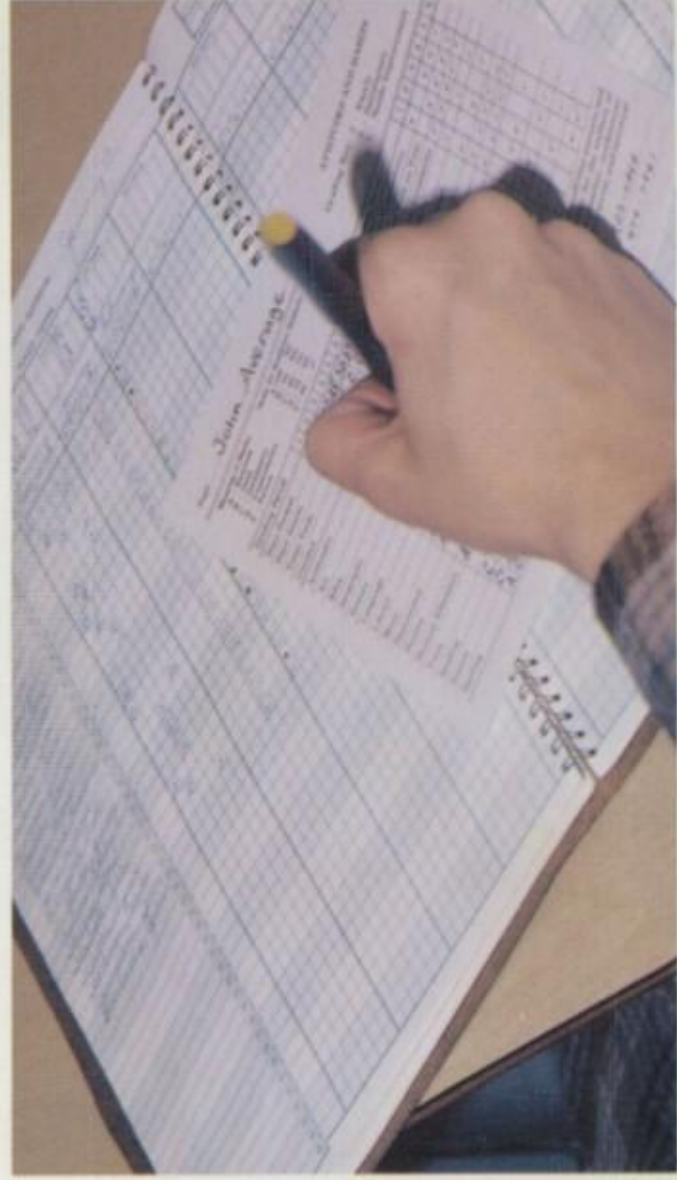


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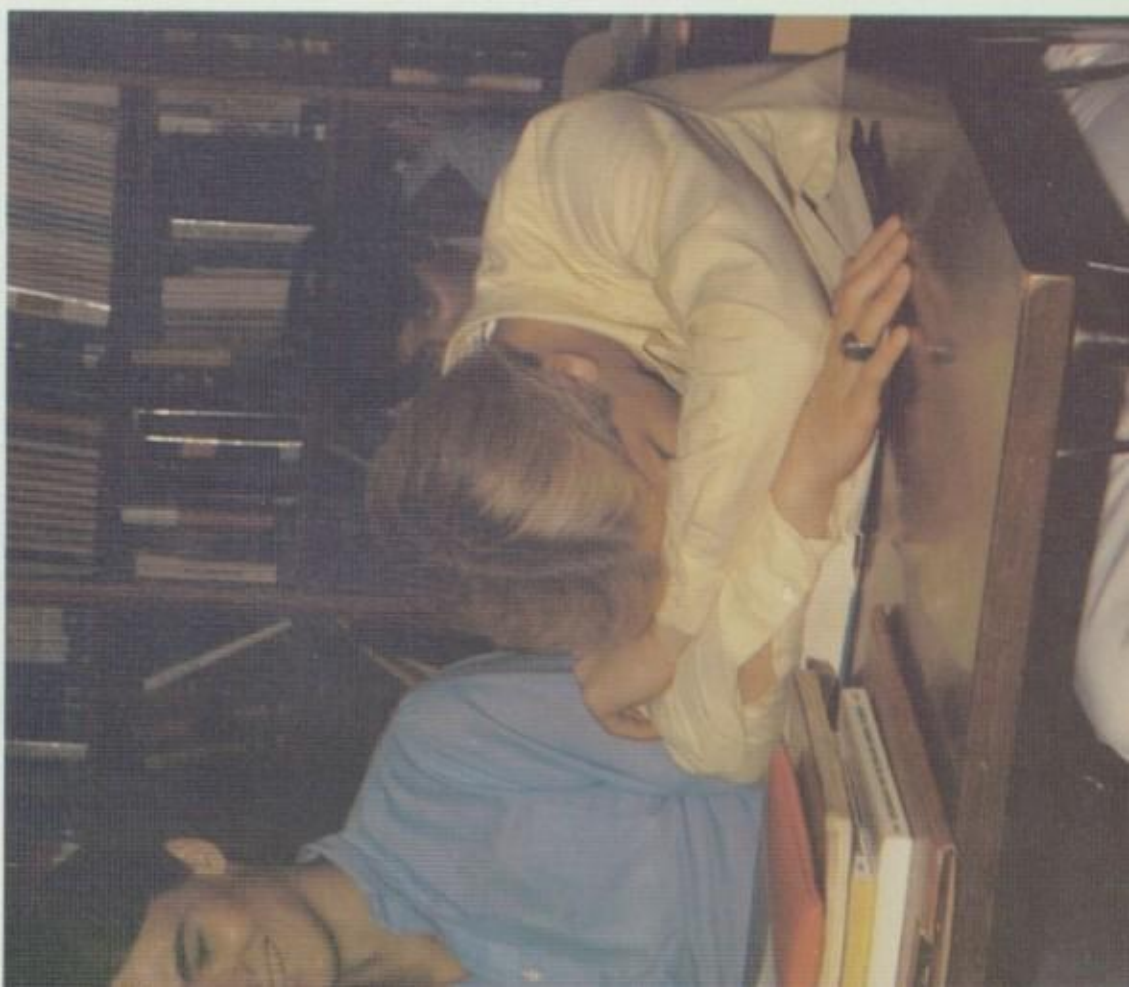
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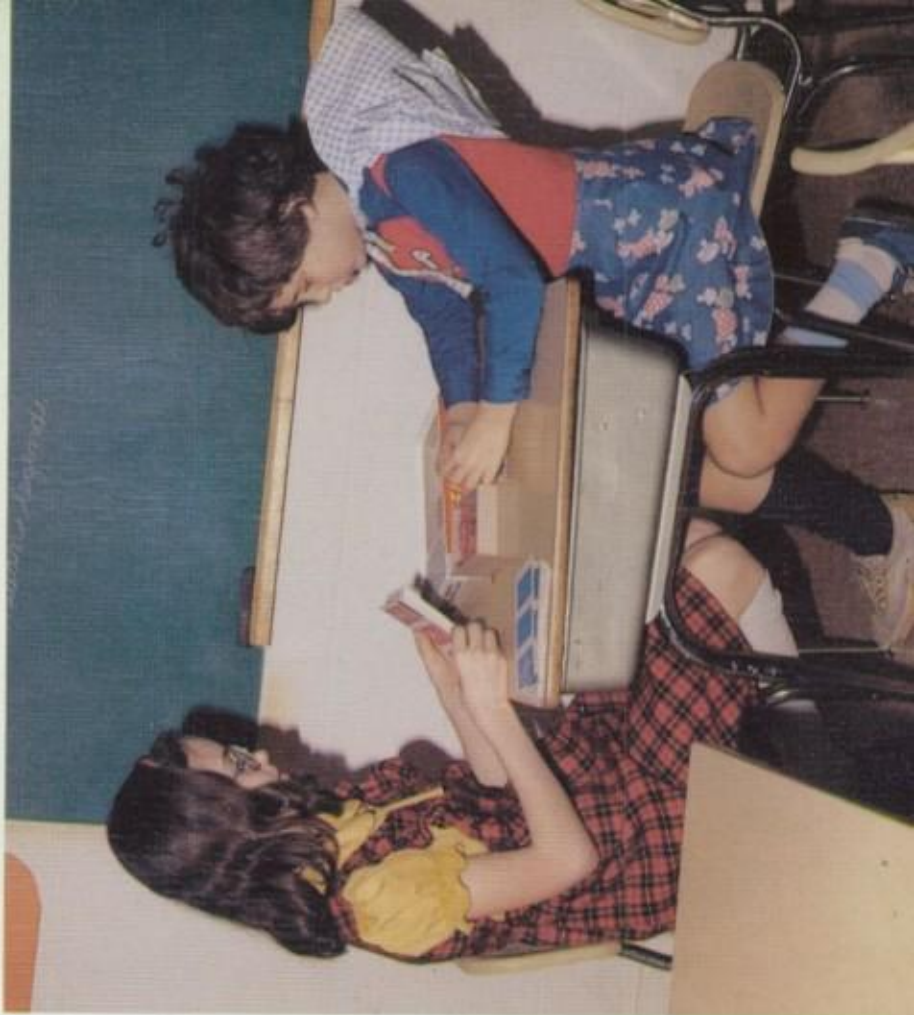
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A TIME TO SPEAK UP





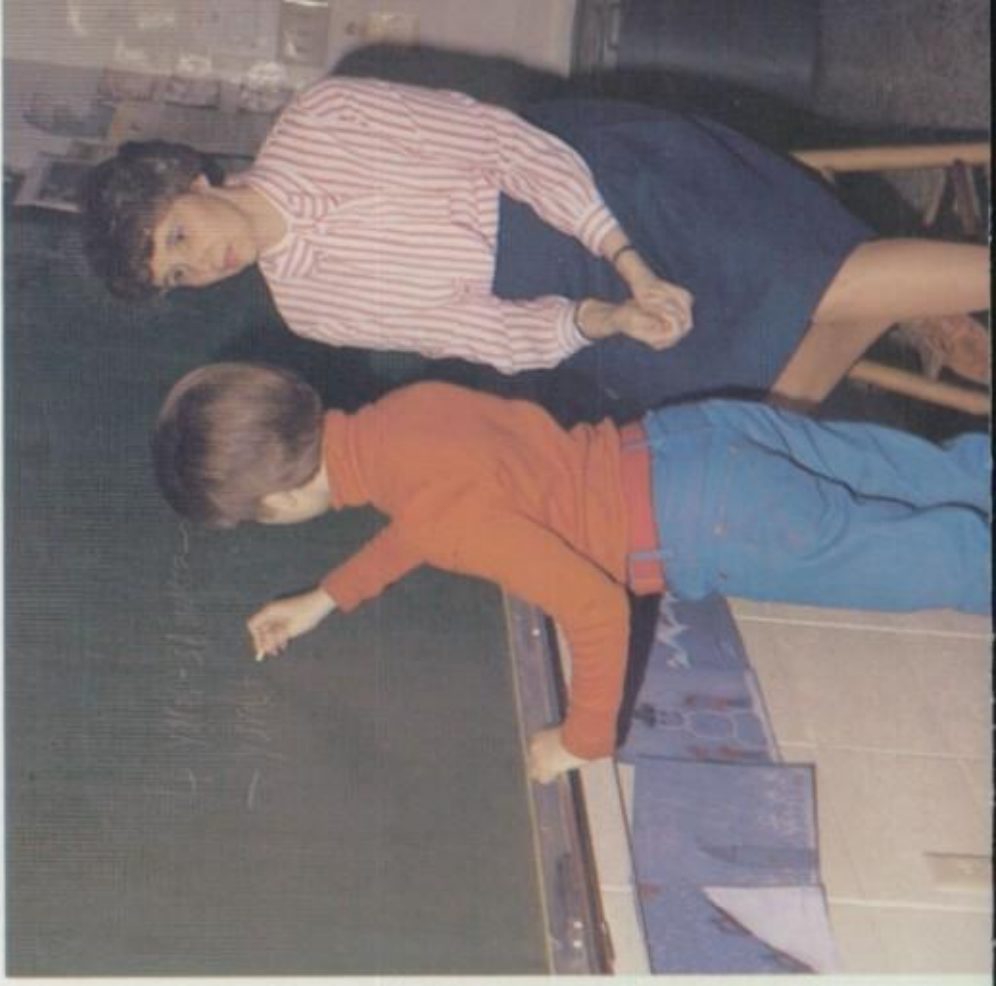
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...
A TIME TO
SHARE





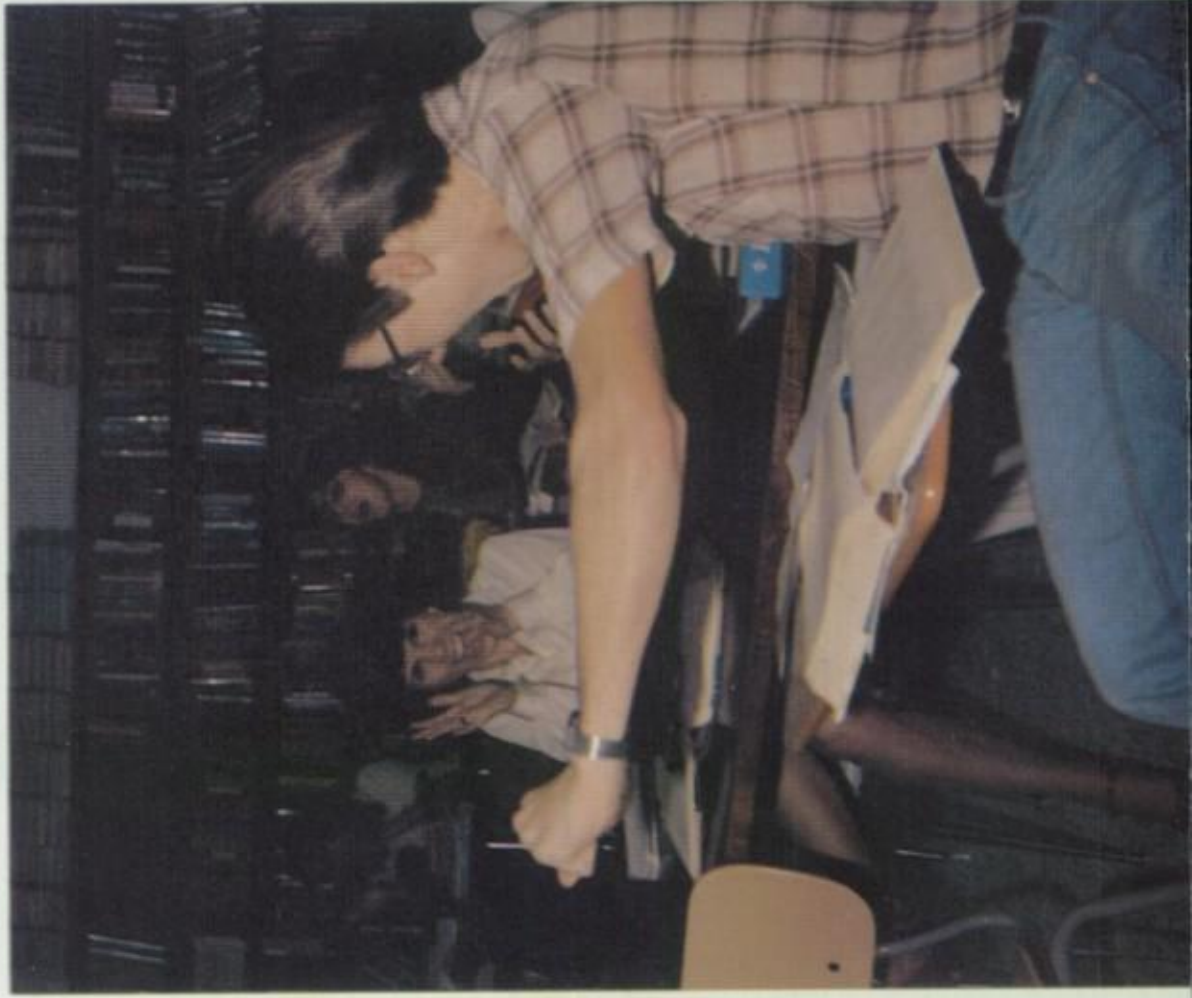


A TIME TO BE ALONE....
A TIME TO BE WITH FRIENDS





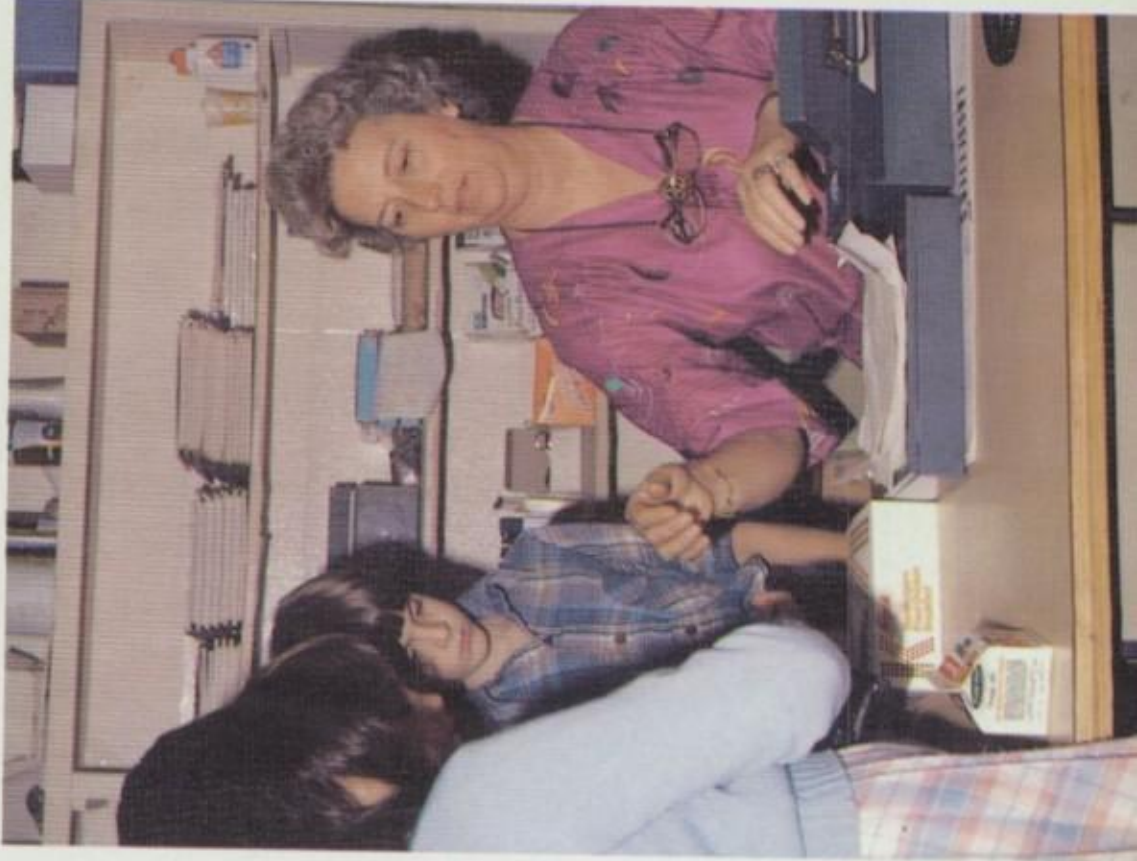
A TIME TO
LAUGH....
A TIME TO
CRY





Mrs. Bettye Dollar

The 1981 Shield staff recognizes a very special person. She is a lunchroom worker, a bus driver, and a bookkeeper all in one. After twelve years of ministry at Alliance Christian School we feel that her love and patience in service to us and the Lord Jesus Christ deserve recognition. It is for this reason that we dedicate the 1981 Shield to Mrs. Bettye Dollar.



Mrs. Braxton Adams — Principal

Mr. Braxton Adams — Supervisor of Transportation, Building,
and Grounds; Junior Varsity Coach






A D M I N I S T R A T I O N

Mr. Royce Franklin — Business Administrator

Mrs. Royce Franklin — Guidance Counselor; Head of Math
Department; Yearbook Advisor



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
AUGUST						
A TIME FOR . . .						
Ground-Breaking Ceremony						
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		Teacher Orientation			Student Orientation	23
17	18	19			22	
	First Full Day of Classes	Regrouping at Rolling Hills			28	30
24	25	26			29	

AUGUST

A TIME FOR . . .

GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY:

Pastor Maurer and Mr. Carlos Reese, our contractor, look on as Ronnie Bruce and Linda Bryant help to break ground for the gym. Ronnie and Linda represented the student body.



TEACHER ORIENTATION brings the faculty together to learn and prepare for another school year.



The work on the gym began with clearing the land of all obstructions.





Mr. and Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Maurer and Mrs. Ruth Ross help prepare student materials for Orientation.



Troy Collins' mother helps him get ready for the beginning of the new school year.



STUDENT ORIENTATION: Kelly Sweeney and DeLaine Dawson get reacquainted.



REGROUPING: Carla Lofton, Robin Finch, Cindy Butler, Faith Sutton, Dianne Davis and Kim Massey enjoy supper after a day of hard activity.



Mr. Hitchcock, Tim Mitchell, Jack Criswell, Marshall Franklin, Paul Sutton, graduate, and Melinda Franklin return from two weeks at The Summit in Manitou Springs, Colorado.

THE SENIOR CLASS OF 1981



Jack Gregory Criswell

Melinda Ivon Franklin

Mr. Jay Donmoyer

Tina Suzette Henson

Randall Wayne Howard



21 Sherrie Danyelle Whitten

Troy Dean Collins

Kelley Jean Phillips

Ronald Keith Bruce

Linda Gale Bryant



Charles Augustus Pierson, III

Gwen Yuan Chi

Scott Asbury Hughes

Margaret Suzanne Smith

Charles Duane Turner



23 Delbra Deltrese Miller

Susan Alayne Hawkins

Cynthia Annette Butler

James Rowe Crane, Jr.

Joseph Allen Ward



Melinda Franklin gets her daily exercise while leading "Father Abraham" at Regrouping.



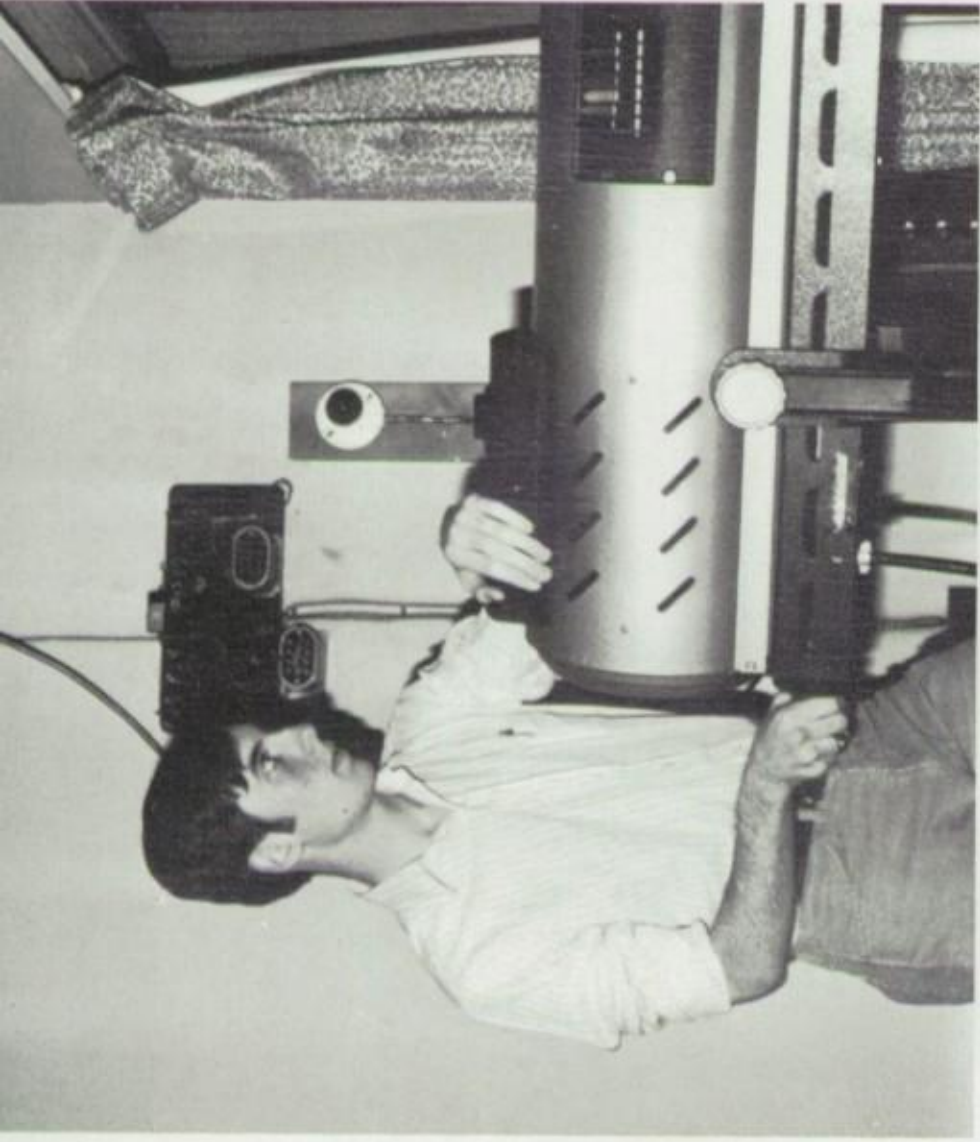
The Senior Class — Shivering in the "snow".



Jimmy Crane attempts to blow out the candles on birthday cake Tina Henson baked him.



Kelley Phillips practices her modeling while Delbra Miller hems an officer's jacket for "The Man Without a Country."



Randall Howard's expert "spotlighting" added drama to the Seniors' play, "An Old-Time Melodrama — Modern Style."



Suzanne Smith and Gwen Chi tasting the snow amuses Chuck Pierson.



Chuck Turner applies intense concentration to his school work.



The Fifth and Sixth Grade guys watch as Joe Ward demonstrates how to block Scott Hughes' pass.

REGROUPING

ROLLING HILLS CAMP

Marty Benton preached to us at several times of spiritual emphasis.



The girls try to add points to their team score with a volleyball victory.



A tie breaker:

Team leaders Delbra Miller, Troy Collins, and Kelley Phillips frantically search while Chuck Turner reads the verse.



Mrs. Criswell and Mrs. Hammond helped to cook great meals for us.



Singing "Father Abraham" helps to stretch and relax after sitting for awhile.





David Howard, Tommy Snoddy, Jack Warren and Mr. Hitchcock enjoy lunch together.













Tracy Whitten, Debbie Brakefield, Lisa Turner, Lee Schwarz, Cindy Butler, and Joy Sutton rest and cool off in the shade.

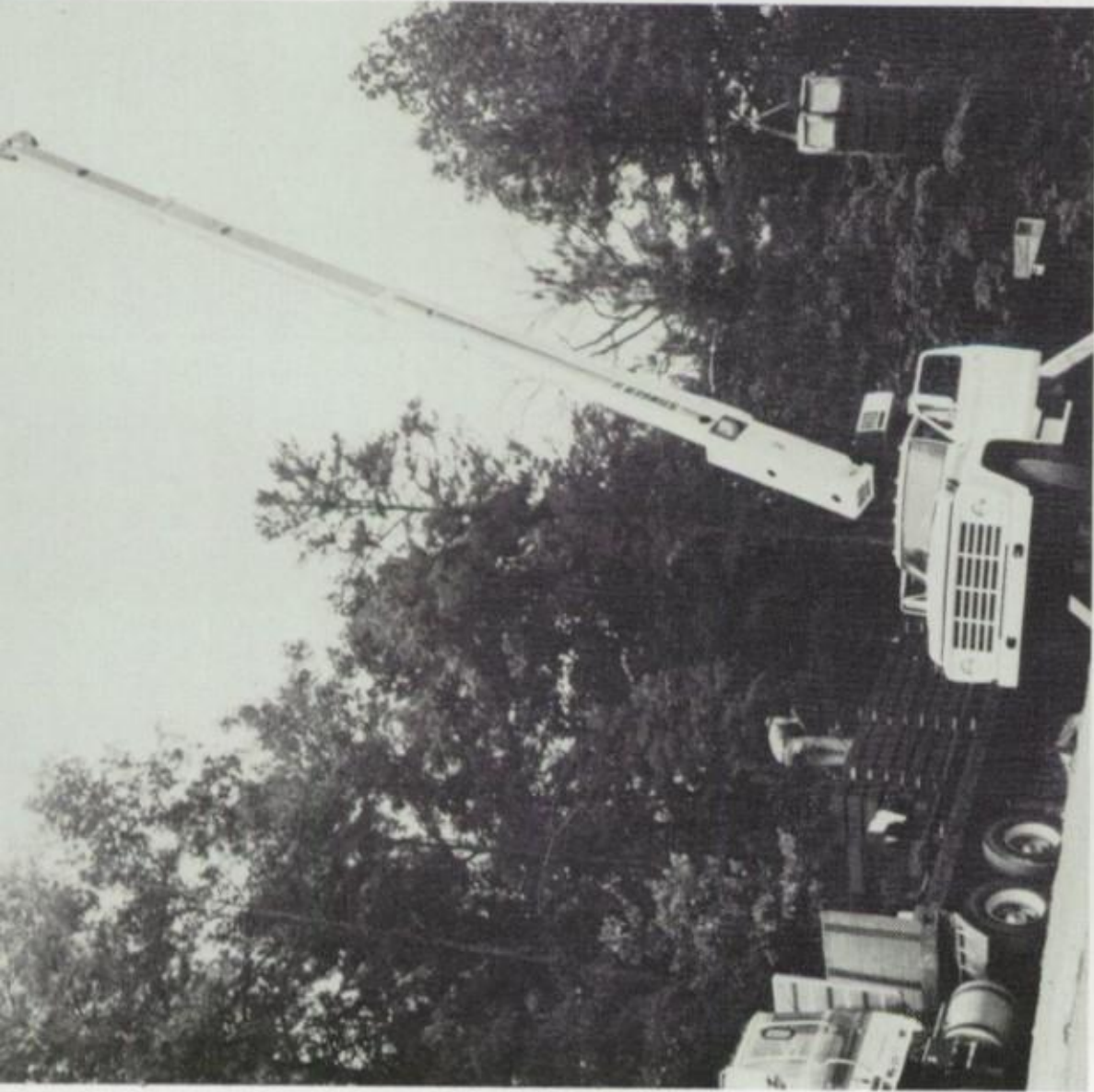


In the cheerleaders' skit: Hypochondriac Joel Haskins finds himself catching Leasha Abercrombie's cold, while receptionist Andrea White looks on.



It takes a lot of luggage for 130 students and faculty to go to camp.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	LABOR DAY 	2		4		6
Faculty Dedication Service Birmingham Gospel Tabernacle 7		9	10	11		13
14	15	16		18	19	 Soccer Games
		24		26	27	Soccer Games
28	29		SEPTEMBER			
A TIME FOR . . .						



The steel for the Fellowship Center arrives!



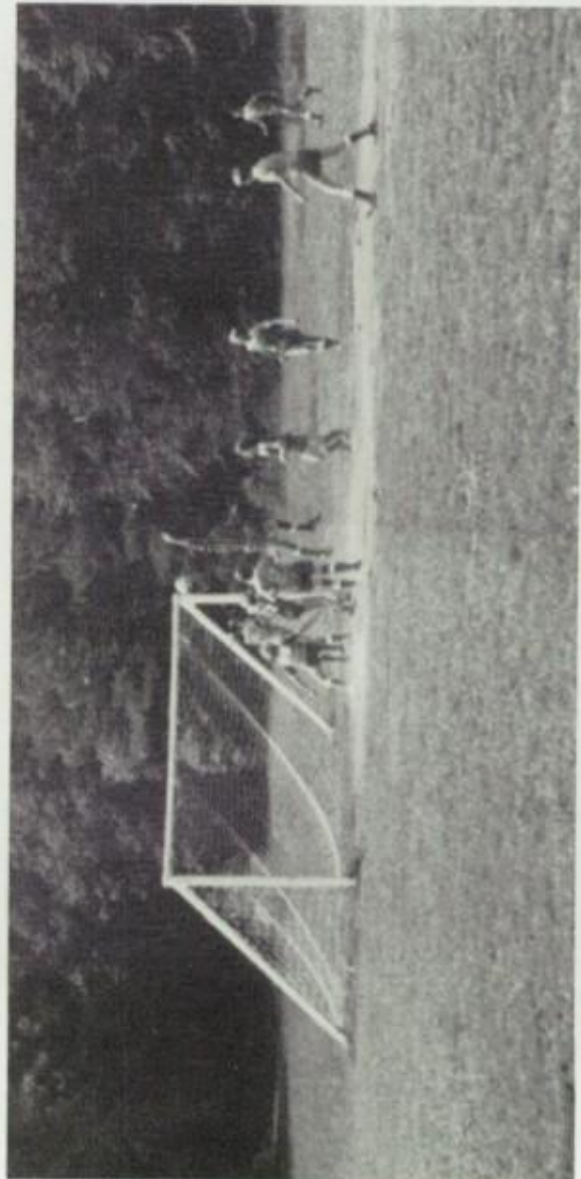
The Fourth Grade begins the year with some diligent reading.











Mrs. Carroll relays her experiences in Africa as a summer missionary during chapel.



The Seniors hold panel discussions during Senior Seminar.



The Under Sixteen Team opens Alliance's very first soccer season.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<h1>OCTOBER</h1> <h2>A TIME FOR . . .</h2> <h3>JUNIOR HIGH CREATIVE WRITING CONTEST</h3>						
	Vito Amato 1st Place 6	Jr.-Sr. High Creative Writing Contests 7	1	Report Cards Go Home 9	Elementary Patriotic Poster Contest 10	Soccer Games 11
	Carla Lofton 2nd Place 13			16	17	
	Margaret Sarris 3rd Place 20	PSAT/NMSQT 21	22	Alabama Christian Education Association-Teachers' Conference Montgomery, Alabama 23		Soccer Games 25
	Kelly Sweeney 3rd Place 28			30		
	Max Friz Honorable Mention 29					



Melinda Franklin and Jack Criswell put the finishing touches on the scenery for the speech class play.



Mr. Hammond puts in the much needed concrete stairs to top court.



Mr. D receives a "trick" from the World History class for Halloween.



ELEMENTARY PATRIOTIC POSTER CONTEST: L. to R. Row 1: April Whitten, Art Award; Kenny Pinson, 3rd Place; Trina Freeman, 2nd Place. Row 2: Debbie Cockrell, 1st Place; Ginger Cockrell, Honorable Mention.



SENIOR HIGH CREATIVE WRITING. L. to R. Row 1: Marshall Franklin, HM; Paul Gilbert, 1st Place; Jeff Snoddy, HM. Row 2: Kris Roy, 3rd Place; Trina Collins, 2nd Place; Linda Bryant, 3rd Place; Kathy Higginbotham, HM; Faith Sutton, HM.



The Soccer Teams play another month into their season.

JUNIORS

Mr. J. Addison Hitchcock



Barry Anderson
Hope Chi
Susan Dalton
Joel Haskins



David Howard
Helen Krontiras
Karen Mouser

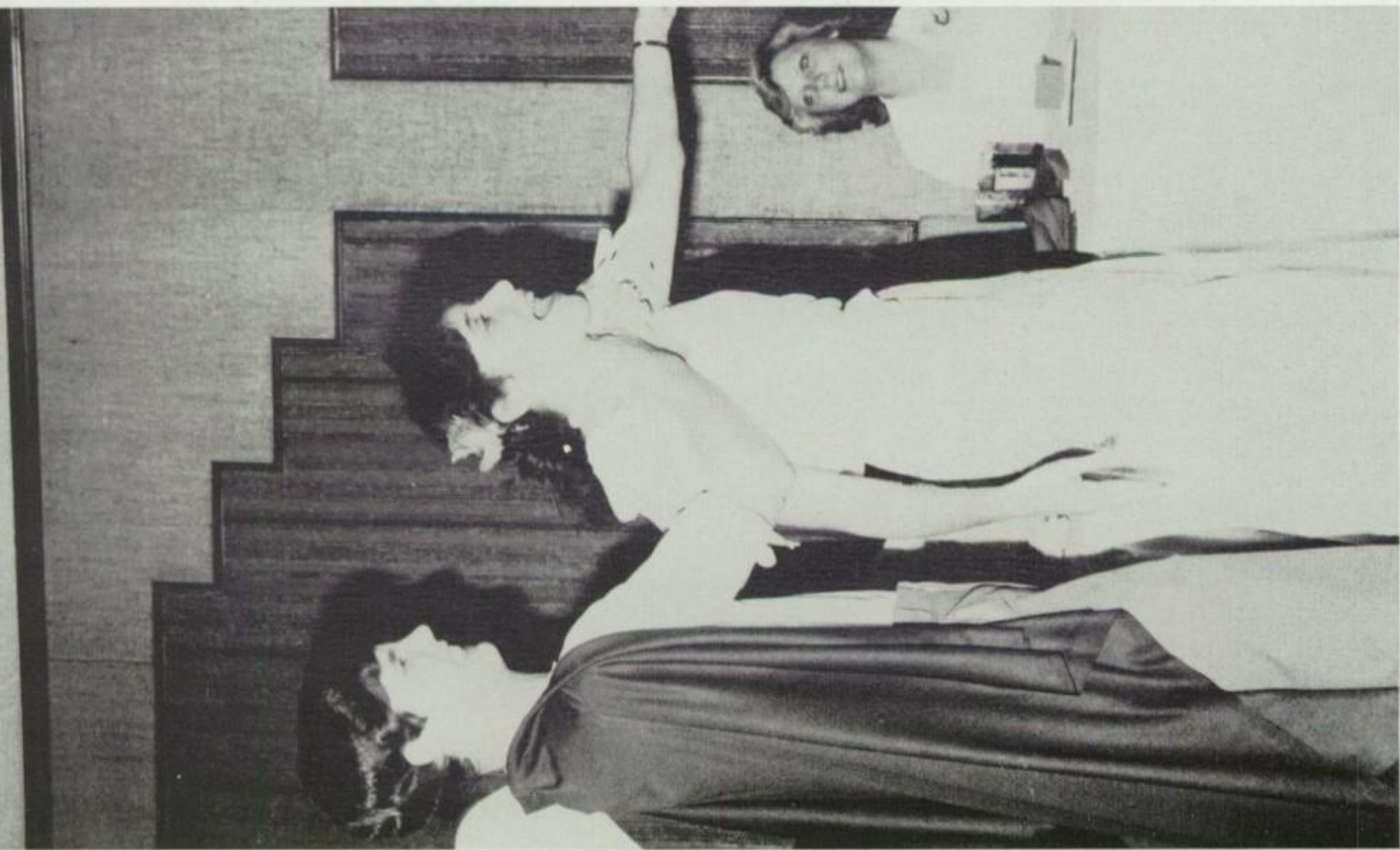


Wendy Rivers
Ron Ross
Tommy Snoddy



Joy Sutton
Lisa Turner
Jack Warren





SOPHOMORES

Leasha
Abercrombie
Mary Amato
Robert Brannon
Mike Carr

Trina Collins
Dianne Davis
Keli Fortinberry
Marshall
Franklin

Buster Gamble
Paul Gilbert
Dale Gray
Chris Hayes

Brett Junge
Jon Langford
Wes Lanier
Danny
McCombs

Ritchard
McDonough
Kim Massey
Kris Mitchell
Tim Mitchell

Janet
Mishalanie
Michelle
Pittman
Angela
Richardson
Kris Roy

Peter Sarris
Lee Schwarz
Kim Simon
Jeff Snoddy

Mrs. Lana Freeman



Teresa Spann
Faith Sutton





FRESHMEN

Ronnie
Brakefield
Debbie
Brakefield
Teresa Creel

Wes Criswell
Michele
Dempsey
Bonnie Duncan

Robin Finch
Jo Folks
Karen Hayes

Kathy
Higginbotham
Johnny Howard
Mark Kerr



Kelley Barnett
Michael
Bodenhausen



Mrs. Jennifer Stephenson





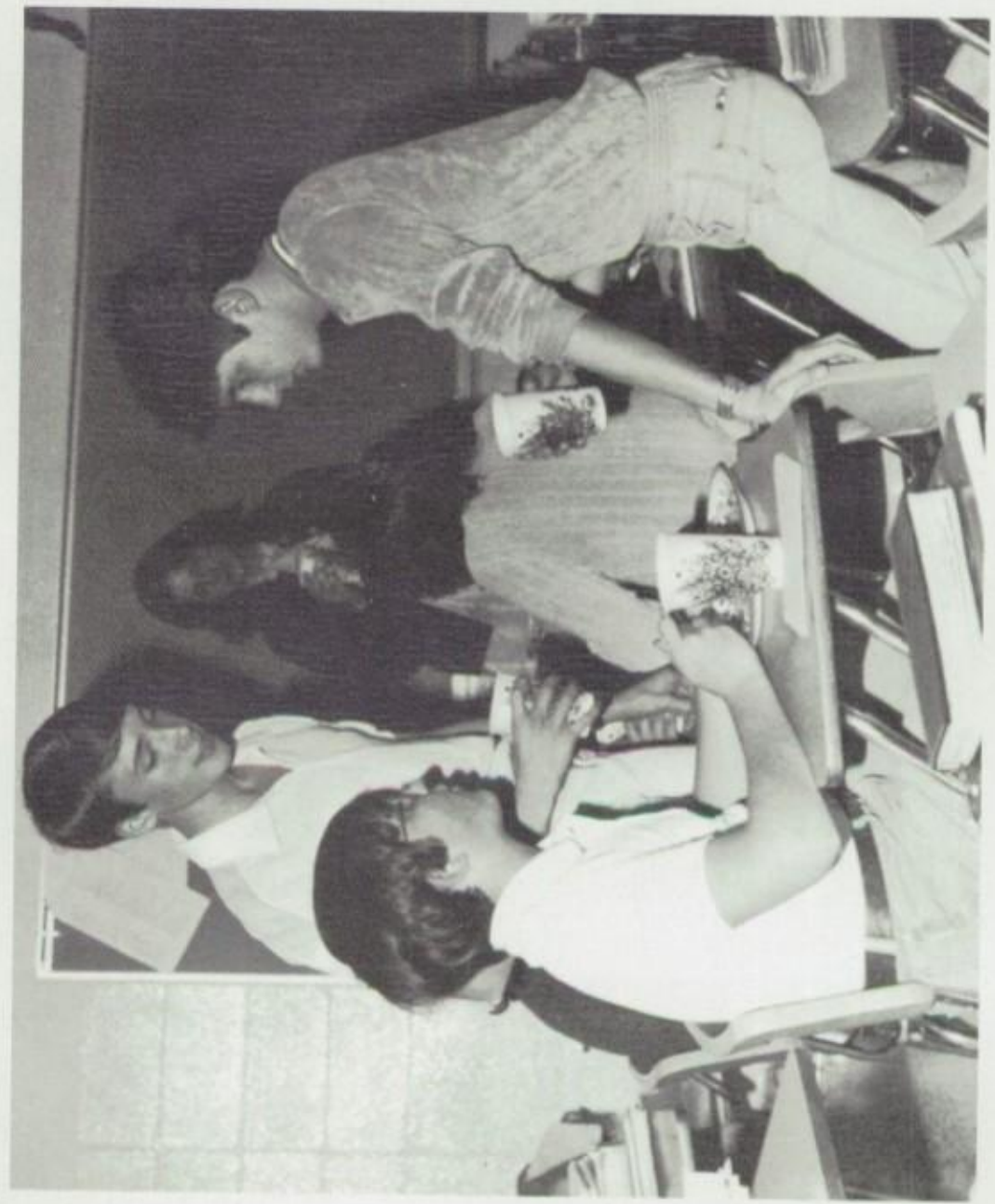
Tracy Whitten
Ron Wible
Delene Woods
Britt York



Julie Thornton
Kim Verburg
Christy Walsh
Andrea White



Sandy Lee
Allen Leverett
Becky Nelson
Sally Ramer



Miss Judy Boyd

EIGHTH GRADE

Linda Howard
Tommy Lake
Carla Lofton
Wanda Luick



Pam Pittman
Wanda Rivers
Margaret Sarris
Cristie Streit



Anna Thornton
Leslie Triplett
Lotte Walker
Terri Wible



Sherry Barrett
Casey Crane
Suzette
Dempsey

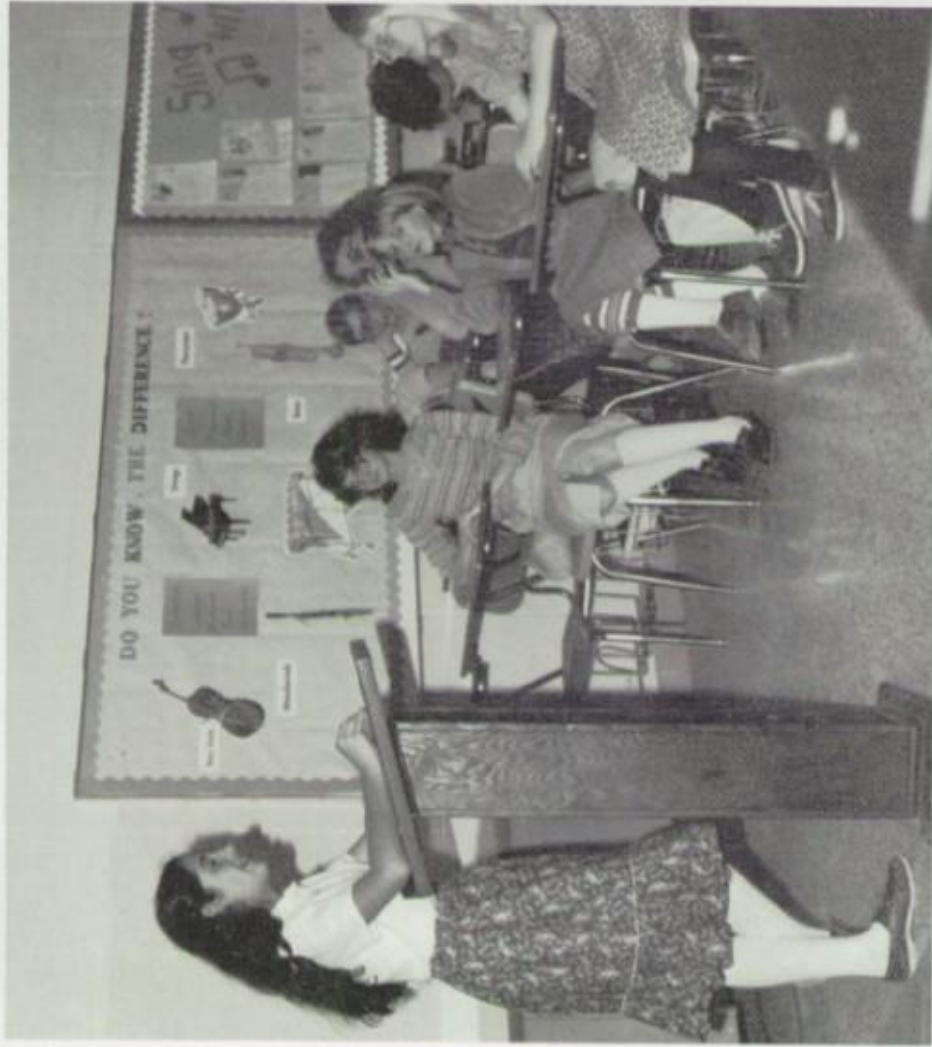


Beth Dollar
Morris Franklin
Max Friz



Miss Cathie Mitchell





Mrs. Jennifer Carroll



Vito Amato
Kurt Becker
Scott Brackner
Bethany Brooks



Mark Bryant
Gina Culberson
John Dagnan
DeLaine Dawson



Laura Giles
Forrest
Groeneveld
Beth Hayes
Bobby Hodges



Jeana Hogeland
David Langford
Barry Latham
Scott Lee



Melanie
McGraw
Angie Peadar
Jeff Posey
Jon Roth



Matt Scheid
Kelly Sweeney
Suzanne
Williams
Becky York

SEVENTH GRADE

SIXTH GRADE

John Allen	Anita Harris	Cassandra	Tanya Mitchell	Brad Schwarz	Craig Temple
Kasey Bond	Vince	Lofton	Barbara	Terri Sheridan	Missy Walsh
Joseph Booth	Higginbotham	Paul Loo	Pittman	Brenda	John Anthony
Una Breeding	Ruth Ann	Tammi Manning	Lee Richardson	Singleton	Wiggins
	Hitchcock	Christy Massey	Daniel Rivers	Jesse Stevens	Kathleen
	Mary Howard				Williams
Debbie Cockrell					
Philip Crane					
Sandra Creel					
Angela Echols					

Mrs. Yvonne Sheridan





Mrs. Debbie Jobes



Ricky Borders
Seyvon Brown
Robert Cather
David Colpo

Michelle
Comfort
Charles Cordle
Marilyn Daniel
Beth Ann Davis

William Echols
Tina Hartselle
Chris Haskins
Nicole
Henderson

Dawn Heston
Hans Heyer
Kim Howard
Mike Jones

Matt Langford
Jimmy
McAlister
Robby Melvin
Dodie Walker

Dale Westcott
April Whitten
Charley
Workman
John
Youngblood

FOURTH GRADE — VESTAVIA

Michelle

Carawan

Dennis Cobb

Ginger Cockrell

Ricky Cribbs

Becky Dagnan

Tracie Dawson

Hiala Elridge

Angela Finch

Trina Freeman

Jennifer Hall

Karen Hollis

Alice Howard

Michelle Lee

Shaun Nelson

Donna Rivers

Kathi Scheid

Sean Selznick

Monty Waites

David Walsh

Craig White

Michael Bond

Stephanie

Brackner

Mark Butler

David Allen

Jamie Batton

Miss Barbara Wallace





Martha Benton
Teri Gilbert
Angela Holmes
Kellye
Levasseur



Anthony
Newton
Ken Parsons
Patrick Parsons
Greg Quinn



Laurie Rucks
Scott Russell
Misty Smith



Scott Smith
Jeanne Sparks
Staci Vaughn



Mrs. Vivian Mitchell

THIRD GRADE — VESTAVIA

Lydia Brooks
April Cobb
Danny Colpo
Jamie Edwards

Johann Ginn
Rick Godbehre
Christie Henson
Jon Jobes

Wendy Jones
Jeff Kim
Denise Lamar
Kent Lanier

Gavin Parks
Jason Rothe
Kimberly
Sheridan
James
Slaughter

Scott Strawn
Laura Temple
Charity Tucker
Amy White



Mrs. Carol Scheid





Mrs. Paula Flynn



Jennifer
Anderson
David Barksdale
Lynya
Bowerman
April Everett



Keith Frederick
Athena Hill
Michele Hood
Daryl Parker



Michelle
Parsons
Kenny Pinson
Marion Sawyer



Quan Suggs
Jay Wright

THIRD GRADE — EAST LAKE

SECOND GRADE — VESTAVIA

Marshall Hayes
Michelle Healy
Mechelle
Horton
Elizabeth
Howard

Nicole Howard
Stephen Lee
Scott Manning
Robert Murray

Tony Person
Andrea
Robertson
Cladise
Slaughter
Stephen Walsh

David Batton
Kevin Becker
Charles
Bernhard

Scott Chamblee
April Deese
Dave Freeman

West Gray
Darren
Hardman
Kezia Harvey



Mrs. Beverly Wible





Miss Doris Alexander



Sean Anderson
Lamar Burton
Danny Cheshire
Michael
Comfort



Shannon
Dawson
Edward Frazier
Christy Gentry
Joana Haddadin



Scott Jaye
Jon McKee
Stacey Myrick



Nancy Quinn
Nicki Ramsey
Keith Robinson



Christian
Russell
Jeffery Smith
Rodney Traylor

FIRST GRADE — VESTAVIA

Stuart

Ashworth
Bridgett
Breeding
Tara Brown
Andy Cobb

Justin Durham
Mal Fancher
Joyce Hall
Jennifer Jobes

Amy Johnson
Madhu Kari
Matthew Kim
Erin Loffer

Holly Lyons
Michael Melvin
Jennifer Pilley
Latonia Pratt

Venu Rao
Shyam Reddy
Kimberly
Shappley
Heather Smith

Greg Stanley
Teri Taylor
Blake Wheeler
Paul Williams

Mrs. Donna Waters





Miss Marilyn Brown



Kenny Wilcutt
Jon Woods
Shane Williams



Flash Tucker
Meredith Ward
Romania White



Regina
Robinson
Brian Ruggs
Chanda Towery



Tracy Odell
Amy Pannell
Jennifer
Parsons
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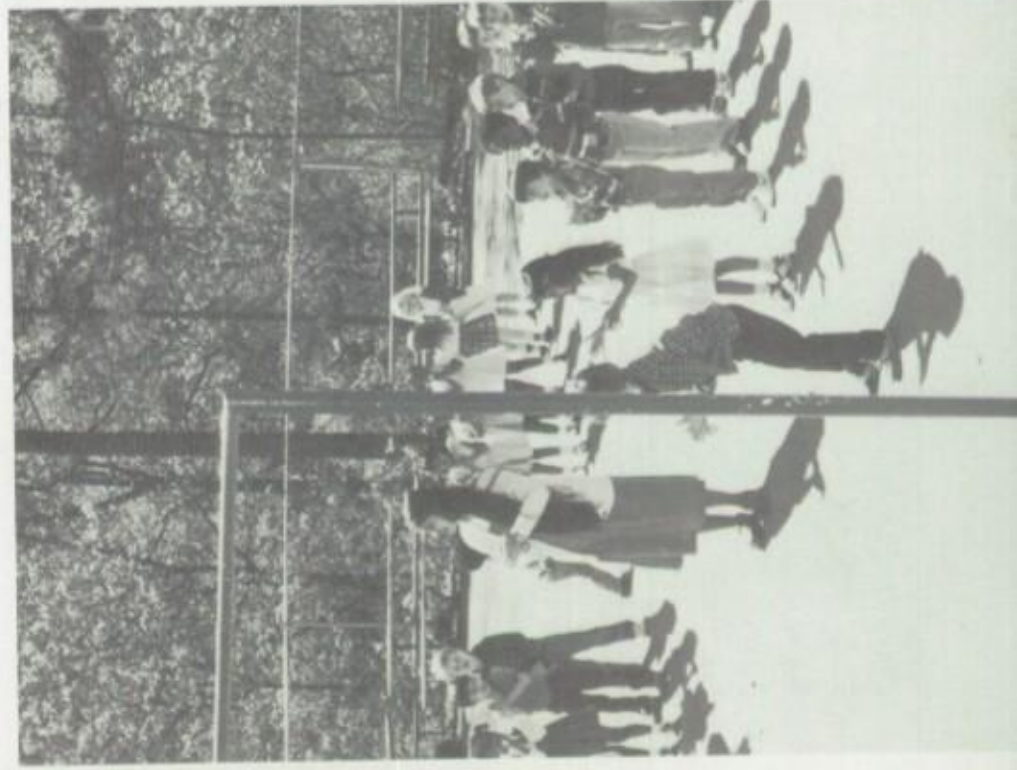


Jelanie Gause
Shani Godwin
Reid Harris
Brian McMahan



Brian Adair
Marian Benton
Clarence
Cooper
Danielle
Foushee

KINDERGARTEN 5-VESTAVIA



Theron
Brewster
John Carawan
Casey Carrell

Chris Faulkner
Bryan
Fitzgerald
Jamie Fortier
Van Fried

Renee
Godbehere
Betsie Kim
Dwight Minor
Mitul Naik

Kevin Rawson
Chandana
Reddy
Derek Smith
Hayley Smith

Tiffany Tutt
Anthony Waites
Jonathan Walsh
Shane Womack



Mrs. Marilyn Colpo



Mrs. Sandra Sims





Miss Judy Thach



Jason Prickett
Chris Ransaw
Elena Todd
Wendy Warren



Gene May
Kristine
Menezes
Angie Morgan
Matthew
Parrish



Shane
Holderfield
Allison
Houlditch
Jay Jacobson
Angie Johnson



Trey Chandler
Cobey Everett
David Garrard
Tiffany Gillon



Jason Burton
April Bussey
Kay Chandler



Chris Austin
Tre Bass



KINDERGARTEN 4 — VESTAVIA

Miss Joyce Van Houten



Rachel Stanley
Chad
Stephenson
Tannis Stoops

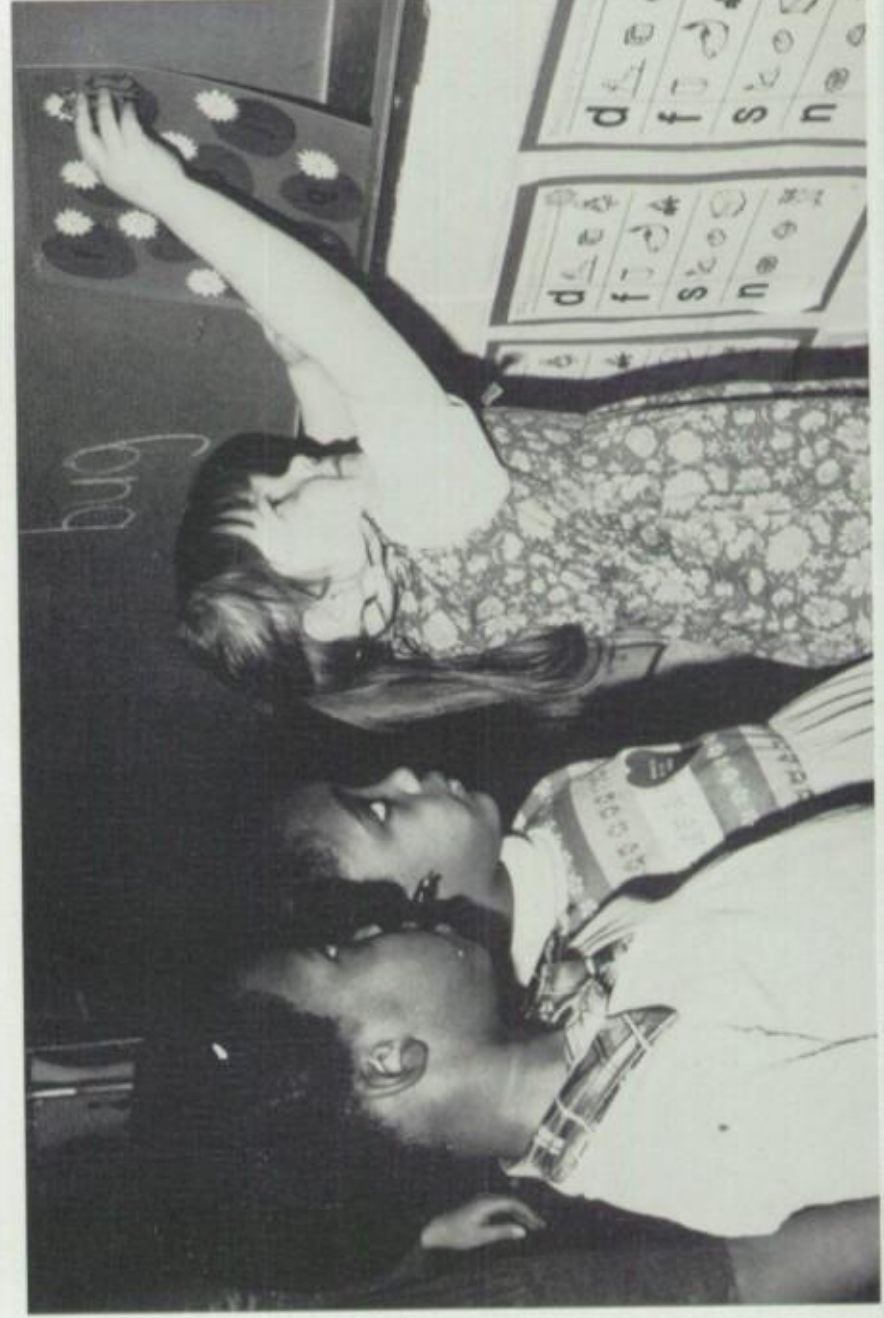
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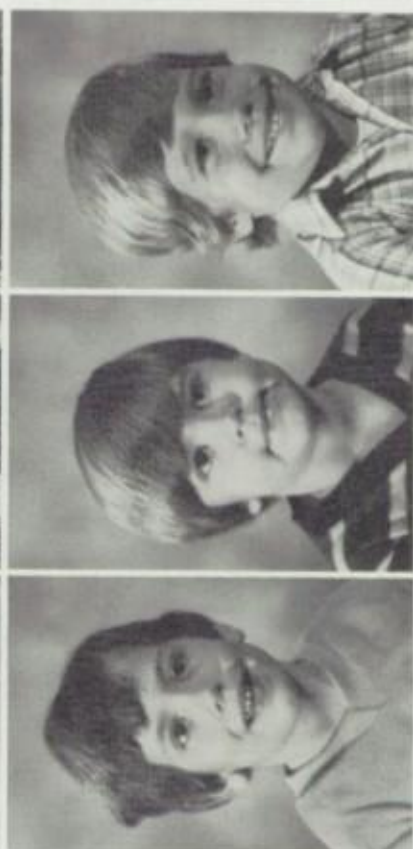
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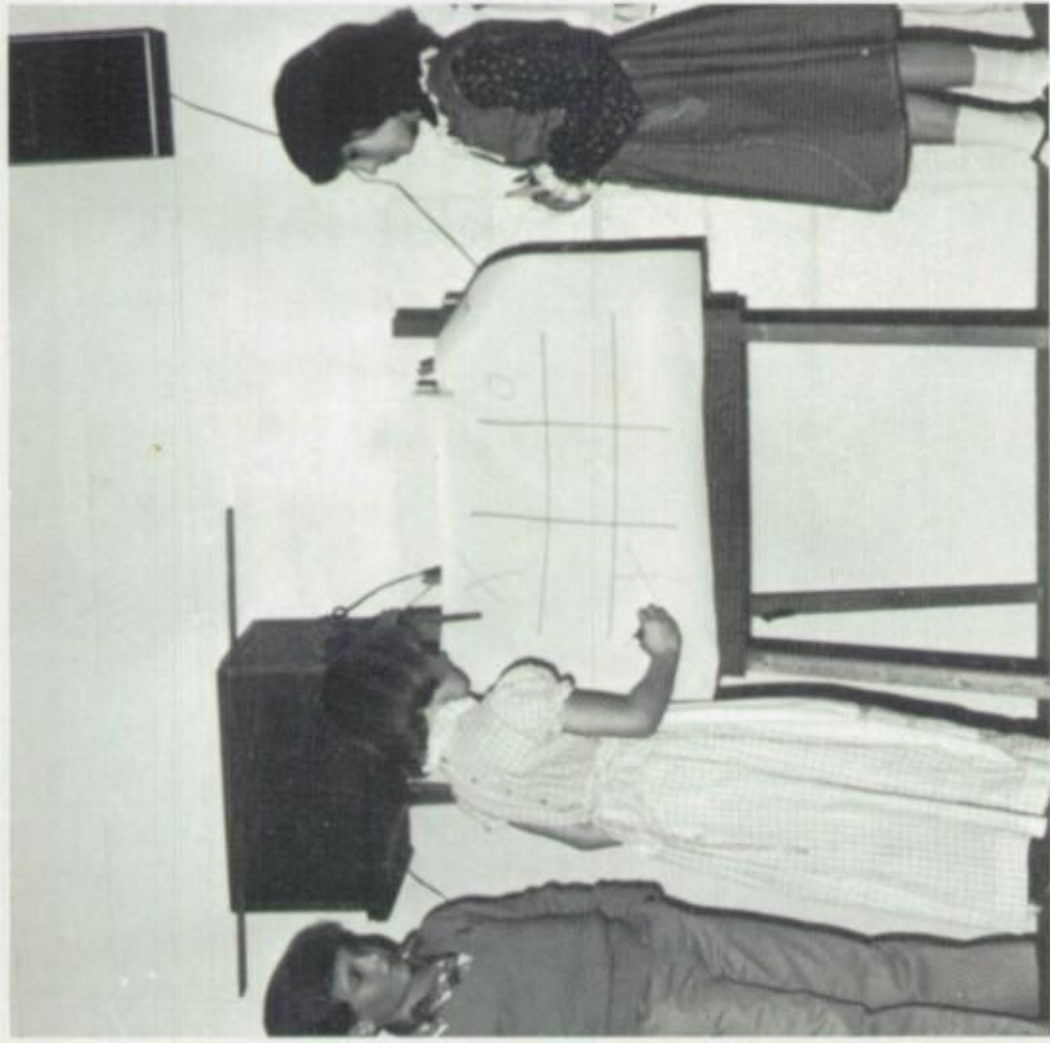
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Freeman
Rand Haddadin
Rani Haddadin

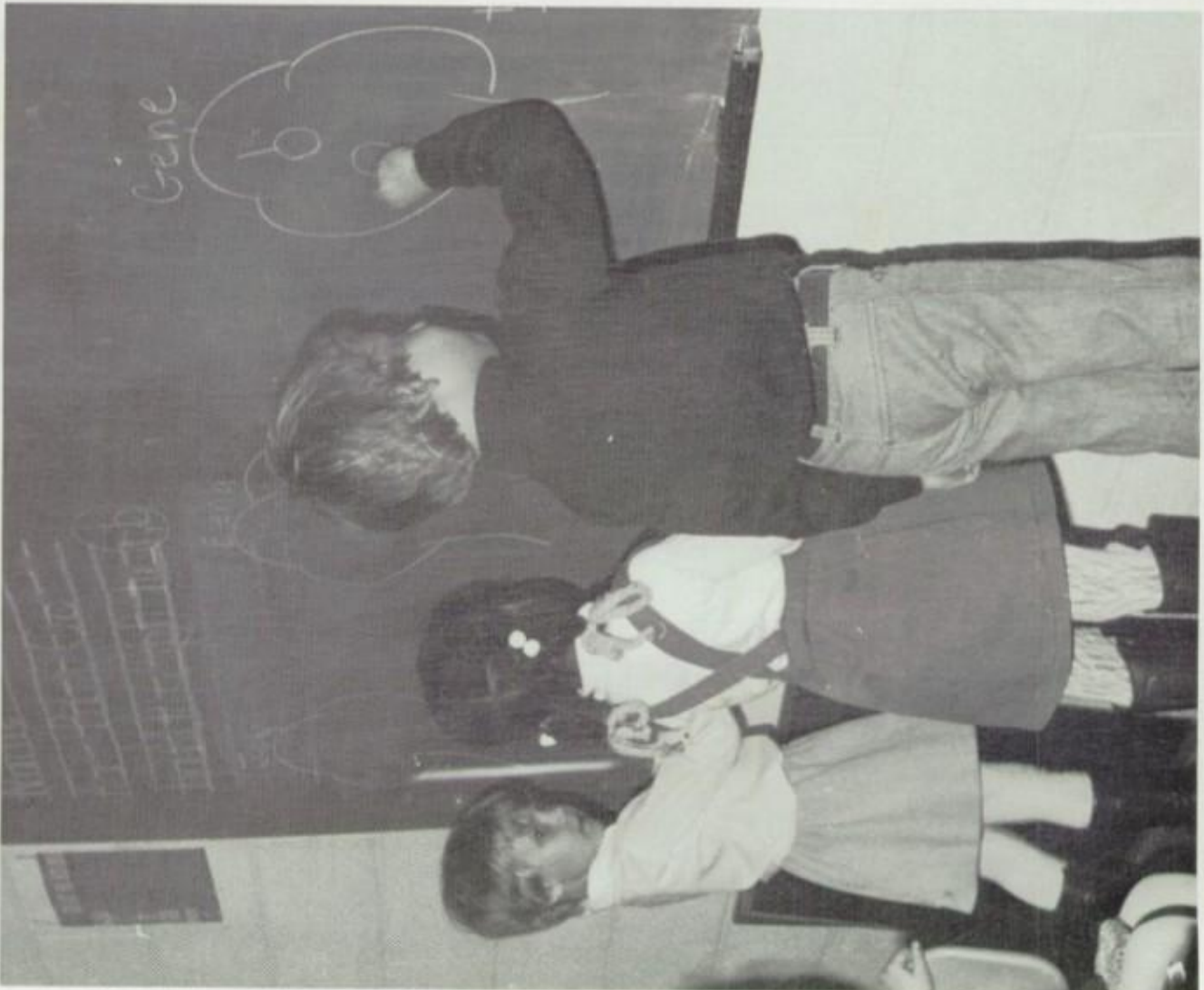
Mrs. Bonnie Menezes



Brad Hallmark
Terrence King
Kristi Linder
Michael
Mulvehill

Amy Spray
Tiffany White
Ginger
Windham
Eric Wood





FALL FESTIVAL

Cheerleader Sandy Lee sells a snack to William Echols.



Randall Howard packages a jug that Mrs. Hayes purchased at the Holiday House.



The Fishing Pond is a favorite activity of the younger students.



Mr. Robertson, Pastor Maurer and Mr. Dollar help to cook hundreds of hamburgers.





Jimmy McAlister puts a hole in the pinata.



Susan Hawkins is hungry for a hot dog.



Fall Festival is a fun time for the Long family.

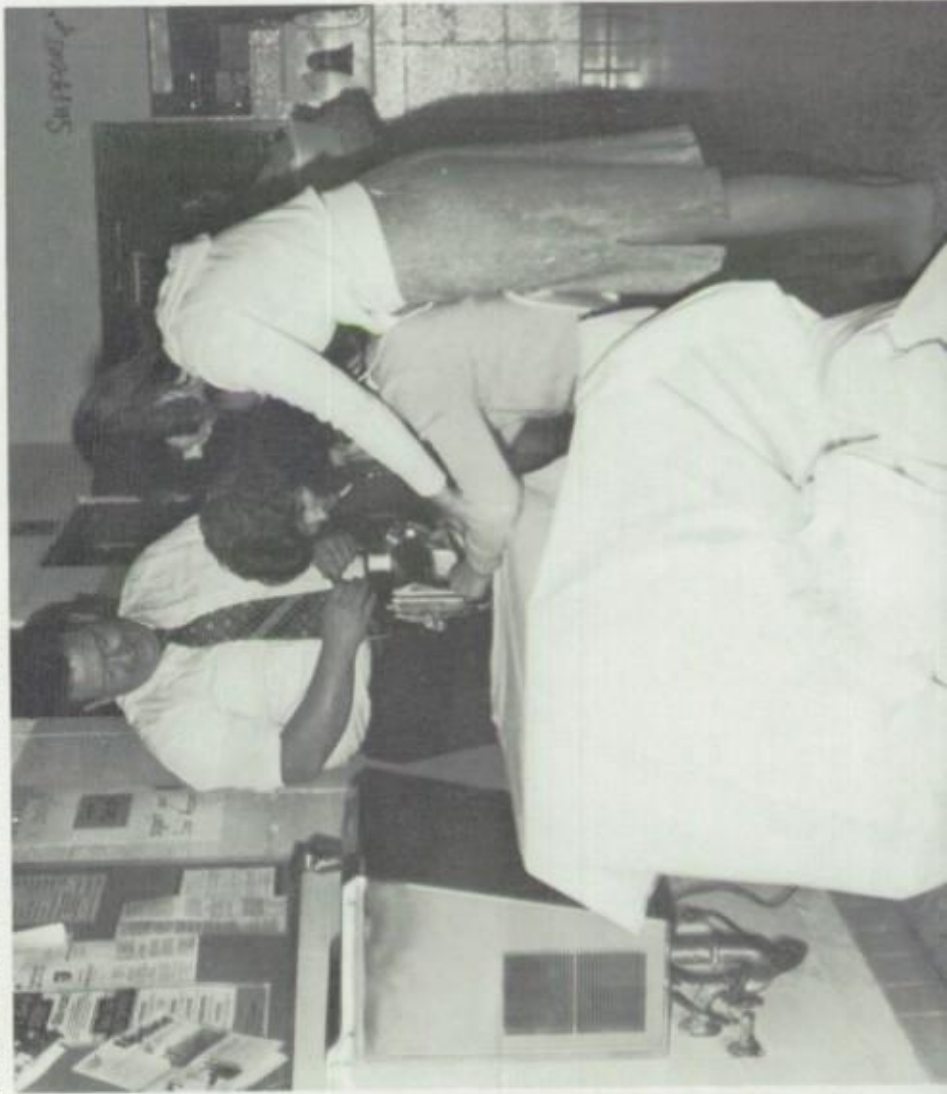


Scott Strawn and his friend, Jennifer, look at some craft items.

Michelle Carawan; Rand, Rani, and Joana Haddadin watch as Mark Butler tries his hand at Spin Art.



Mrs. Criswell helps Lisa Turner and Karen Mouser with preparations for the play while Mr. Hitchcock observes.



Lisa Turner, Wendy Rivers, Joel Haskins, and Brett Junge perform in the speech class play, "Inspector Rouseau Strikes Again."





Putt-Putt for the fun of it.



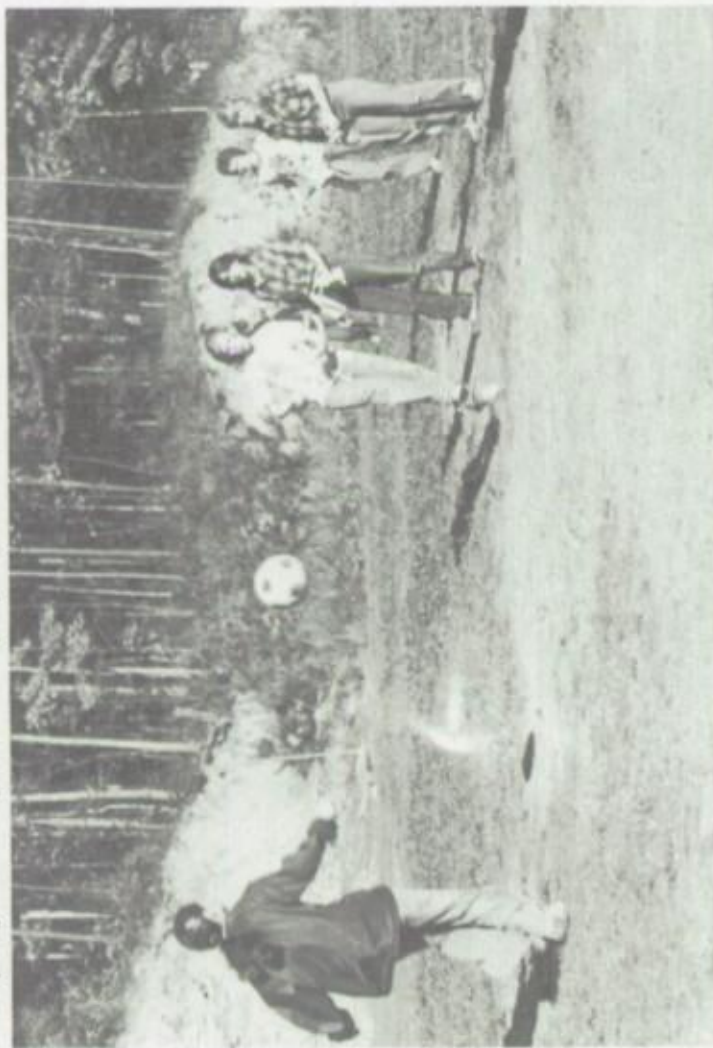
Fall Festival is a good time for fellowship with friends.



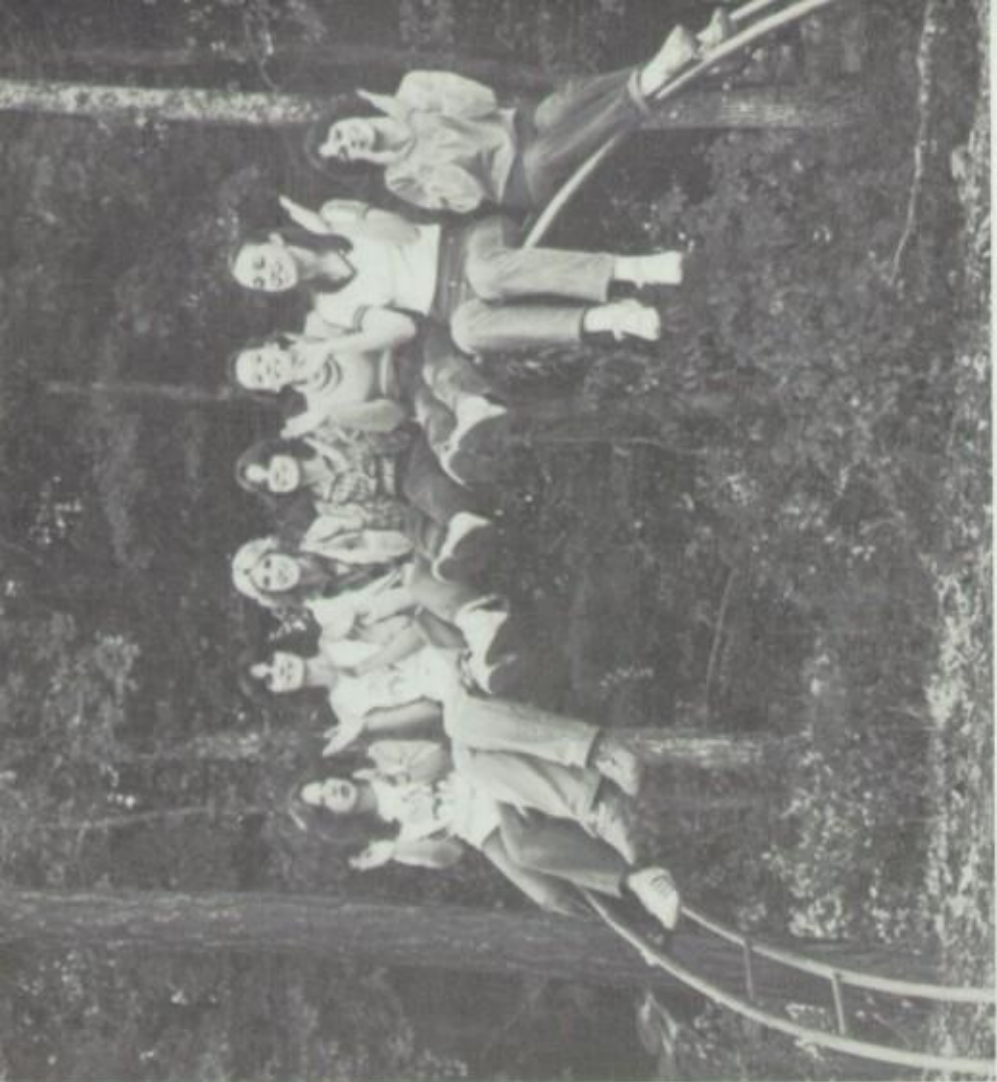
Jack Bruce, Hamilton Hill, Ronnie Bruce and Jack Criswell entertain for the Fellowship Center fund drive . . . a free hot dog for a donation!

CAMPUS WORK DAY

Faith Sutton, Pam Pittman, Margaret Sarris, Christy Walsh, and Michele Dempsey have a great time playing soccer.



Mrs. Carroll tries to figure out what Forrest Groeneveld and the rest of the Seventh Graders are doing.



Seniors, Delbra Miller, Susan Hawkins, Cindy Butler, Scott Hughes, and Jack Criswell put fresh paint on the parking lot lines while Jimmy Crane "supervises."





Suzette Dempsey and Beth Dollar dispose of trash the Eighth Graders picked up behind the school.







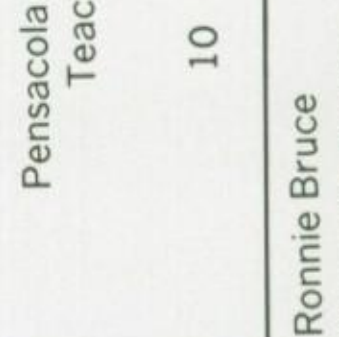




Kim Massey and Angela Richardson aggravate ants in the sand while Teresa Spann looks on.



The Junior Class enjoys lunch after a morning of work.



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
NOVEMBER A TIME FOR . . . SENIOR HIGH PATRIOTIC POSTER CONTEST:						
 Jack Criswell 1st Place	 Joy Sutton 2nd Place	 Linda Bryant 3rd Place	5	6	Jr.-Sr. High Patriotic Poster and Essay Contests 7	Soccer Games 8
	 Ronnie Bruce Honorable Mention	 Cindy Butler Honorable Mention Wes Criswell Honorable Mention	12	13	SENIOR HIGH PATRIOTIC ESSAY CONTEST Tommy Snoddy 1st Place	15
 Melinda Franklin 2nd Place	 East Lake Thanksgiving Chapel	Pensacola Christian School Teachers' Clinic	19	Report Cards Go Home Elementary Science Fair ACS vs. Brooklane Academy	 Melinda Franklin 2nd Place	22
23	24	25	Vestavia Thanksgiving Chapels	THANKSGIVING	 Randall Howard 3rd Place	29
30	26	27	28	29	30	31



JR. HIGH PATRIOTIC POSTER CONTEST. L. TO R. Row 1: Margaret Sarris, 2nd Place; Terri Wible, 1st Place; Carla Lofton, HM. Row 2: Suzette Dempsey, HM; Morris Franklin, 3rd Place; Linda Howard, 3rd Place.



The Junior High Choir performs during Thanksgiving Chapel.



Bob Stone teaches about the "Biological Hand Grenade Ladder" during chapel.



ELEMENTARY SCIENCE FAIR. L. TO R. Matt Langford, HM; Jimmy McAlister, 2nd Place; Dawn Heston, 3rd Place; Trina Freeman, 1st Place.



Johnny Howard takes a free throw for the Junior Varsity as the season opens.



Before the Thanksgiving presentation to Jimmie Hale Mission, Hope Chi welcomes Leo Shepura as Mrs. Downs looks on.



The Kindergartners give "thanks" during their P.T.F. program.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

L. to R. Front Row: Janet Mishalanie, Treasurer; Suzanne Williams; Wanda Rivers; Kelly Sweeney; Cristie Streit; Angie Peaden; Jackie Andrews. Back Row: Mrs. Stephenson; Wes Lanier, Vice-President; Susan Hawkins, President; Margaret Sarris; Laura Giles, Anna Thornton; Teresa Spann; Melanie McGraw; Delbra Miller, Secretary; Mrs. Criswell. Not Shown: Gina Culberson, DeLaine Dawson.



Lisa Wolff and Cristie Streit learn to make icing flowers.



The Amana Representative demonstrates microwave cooking to Wes Lanier and Susan Hawkins.



UNDER SIXTEEN TEAM















L. to R. Row 1: Vince Higginbotham; Matthew Scheid; Scott Brackner; Bobby Hodges; Vito Amato; Jon Roth. Row 2: Mr. Adams, Coach; Marshall Franklin, Co-Captain; Dale Gray; Kris Mitchell; Danny McCombs, Captain; Britt York; Ron Wible; Scott Lee; Morris Franklin.

UNDER TWELVE TEAM

L. to R. Row 1: Rick Godbehere; Jeff Kim, Captain; David Walsh; Paul Loo; Dennis Cobb; Shaun Nelson; Chris Haskins; Danny Colpo; Row 2: Mr. Rasberry, Coach; David Colpo; Robby Melvin; Lee Richardson; Jesse Stevens; Philip Crane; Michael Jones; Tony Wiggins, Co-Captain; Brad Schwarz; Matt Langford.





SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
<div>SENIOR HIGH SPEECH CONTEST</div>		<div>2</div>	<div> Morris Franklin 1st Place</div>	<div> Pam Pittman 2nd Place</div>	<div> Bethany Brooks 3rd Place</div>	<div>Christmas Banquet for Faculty and Staff ACS vs. Berachah 6</div>	
	<div></div>	<div>Jack Criswell 1st Place 8</div>	<div>Jr.-Sr. High Speech Contests 9</div>	<div>10</div>	<div>11</div>	<div>ACS vs. Trinity 12</div>	<div>Seniors take ACT 13</div>
	<div></div>	<div>Faith Sutton 2nd Place 15</div>	<div>ACS vs. Grace Baptist (Prattville) 16</div>	<div>17</div>	<div>18</div>	<div> Christmas Parties and Chapels</div>	<div>20</div>
	<div></div>	<div> </div>	<div> </div>	<div>Chuck Turner 2nd Place Kathy Higginbotham Honorable Mention Joy Sutton Honorable Mention</div>	<div>CHRISTMAS DAY 25</div>	<div>26</div>	<div>27</div>
<div></div>	<div></div>	<div></div>	<div>Helen Krontiras 3rd Place Karen Mouser Honorable Mention Melinda Franklin Honorable Mention</div>	<div>DECEMBER A TIME FOR . . .</div>			

Second Grader, Cladise Slaughter, demonstrates learning to tell time.



Chuck Turner competes in the speech contest with "The Country of the Blind."



Jeff Snoddy goes for a layup for the Crusaders.



Michelle Healy opens her Christmas present — a trio of dolls!



The Fifth Graders tell the Christmas story as Matt Langford portrays one of the Wise Men during Elementary Chapel.



WOODSMAN CLUB



Jon Roth, Matt Scheid, Scott Brackner, and Stephen Farmer show the usual dexterity of Woodsman Club members.



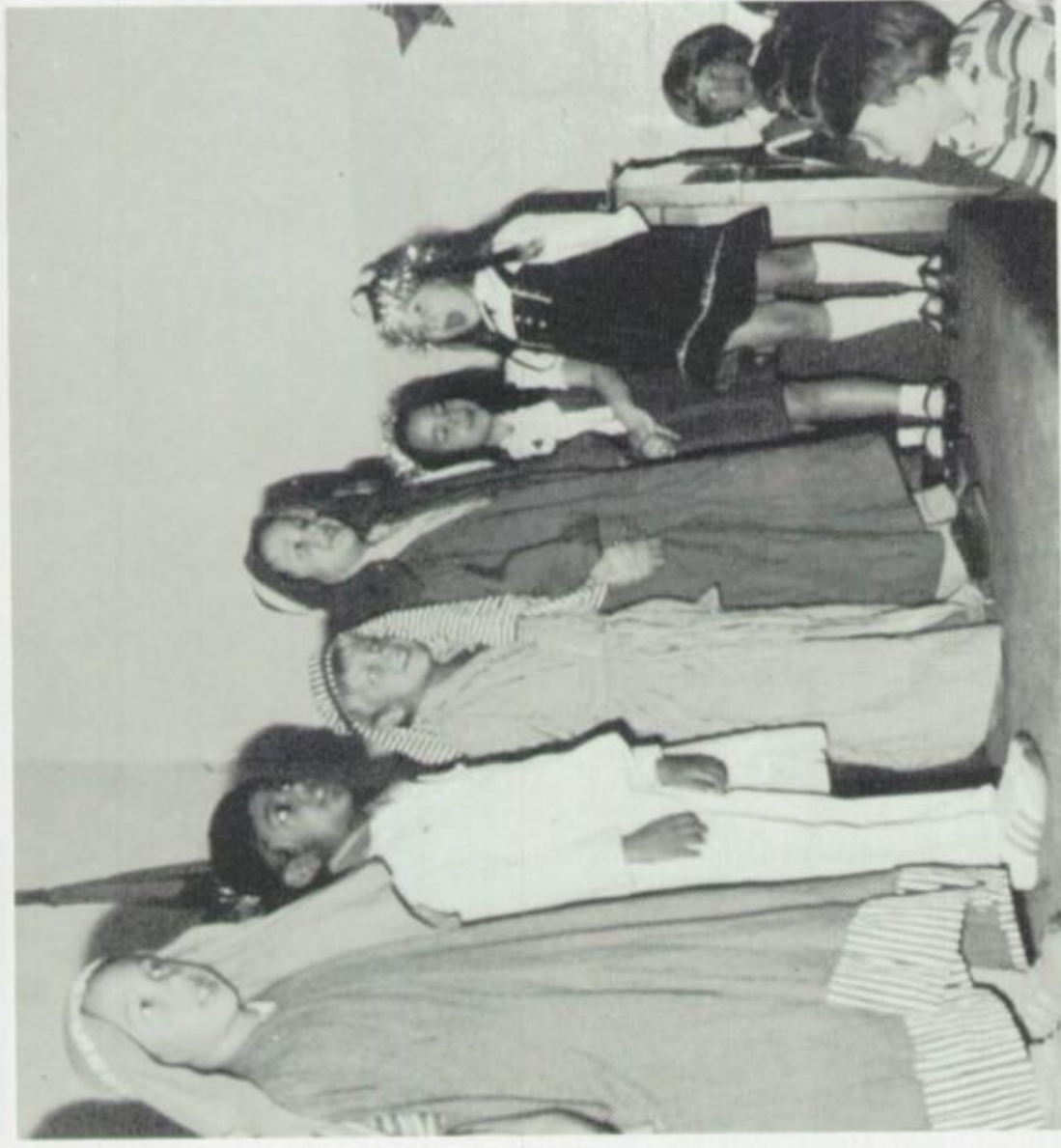
L. to R. Front Row: Mr. Hitchcock; Danny McCombs; Jimmy Crane, President; Joe Ward, Sgt.-at-Arms; Robert Brannon; Britt York; Ronnie Bruce, Chaplain; Chuck Turner, Vice President; Wes Criswell, Peter Sarris, Middle Section: Joel Haskins; Tim Mitchell, Jon Langford; Jeff Snoddy, Secretary/Treasurer; Barry Anderson; Kris Mitchell. Back Rows: Bobby Hodges; Paul Gilbert; Marshall Franklin; Kurt Becker; Dale Gray; Forrest Groeneveld; Jeff Posey; Mark Bryant; Scott Brackner; David Langford, Barry Latham; Jon Roth; Casey Crane; Morris Franklin; Tommy Lake; Matt Scheid; Buster Gamble. Not Shown: Stephen Farmer.

CHRISTMAS TIME







Stephen Lee gazes tenderly into the eyes of his Christmas monkey.

The Kindergarteners watch as the First Graders portray the story of Christ's birth.



Jack Warren's Christmas present evokes giggles from Lisa Turner and Karen Mouser.



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
JANUARY						
A TIME FOR . . .						
JUNIOR HIGH MUSIC CONTEST:						
	Suzanne Williams 1st Place	ACS vs. Grace Baptist (Decatur)	7	8	9	10
	Carla Lofton 2nd Place		Jr.-Sr. High Semester Exams	ACS vs. Tuscaloosa Christian	School Closed	
	Becky York 3rd Place	ACS vs. Tabernacle Christian	Elementary Speech Contest	Report Cards Go Home		
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Suzanne Smith and Ronnie Bruce sacrifice their dignity in order to participate in 50's Day during Homecoming Week.



Mrs. Adams admonishes Debbie Brakefield concerning the seriousness of wearing a hat to school.



ELEMENTARY SPEECH CONTEST: L. to R. Row 1: April Whitten, HM; Martha Benton, 3rd Place; Lee Richardson, 2nd Place; Kimberly Sheridan, 3rd Place. Row 2: Ginger Cockrell, Debbie Cockrell, HM; Missy Walsh, 1st Place.



SENIOR HIGH MUSIC CONTEST. Seated: Dianne Davis, 3rd Place; Joy Sutton, 2nd Place. Quartet, standing: Linda Bryant, Ronnie Bruce, Randall Howard. Jack Criswell, 1st Place.





Robin Finch and Joy Sutton spend many hours returning books to the shelves.



Front to Back, Left Row: Mrs. Freeman; Hope Chi, Vice-President. Middle Row: Joy Sutton, President; Carla Lof-ton; Chuck Pierson; Robin Finch. Right Row: Helen Krontiras; Cindy Butler, Secretary.

LIBRARY CLUB



Book repairing constitutes one of the Library Club's main activities.

ALLIANCE VARSITY CRUSADERS 1980-81 STATE RUNNERS-UP



L. to R. Row 1: Jon Langford, Jeff Snoddy, Joe Ward, Marshall Franklin, Tommy Snoddy, Kris Mitchell. Row 2: Barry Anderson; Tim Mitchell; Scott Hughes; Danny McCombs; Ron Mitchell, Coach; Ronnie Bruce, Captain; Troy Collins, Joel Haskins.

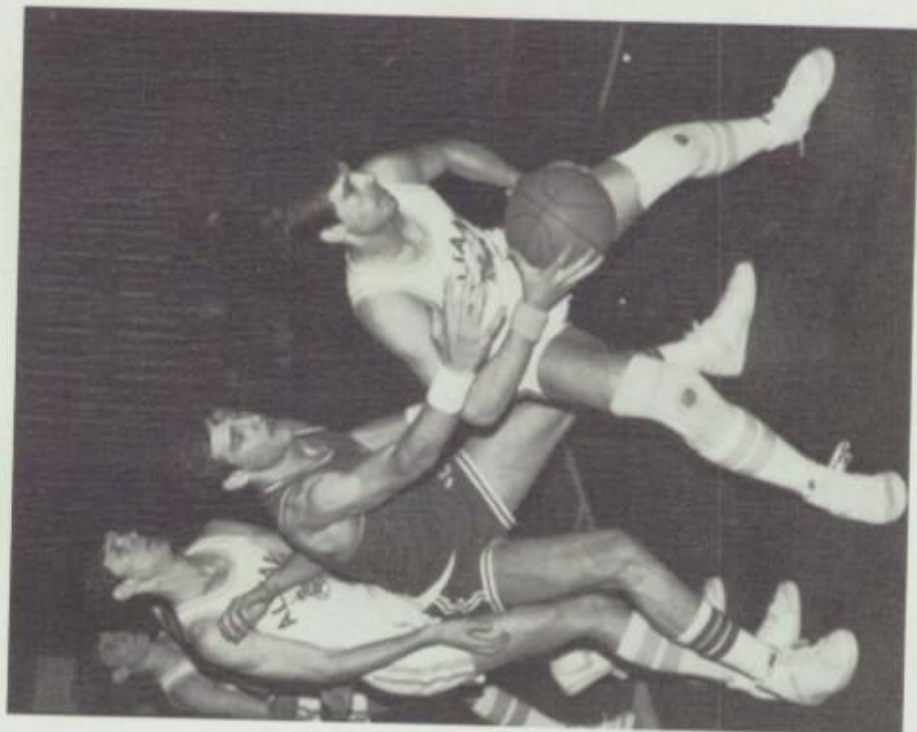
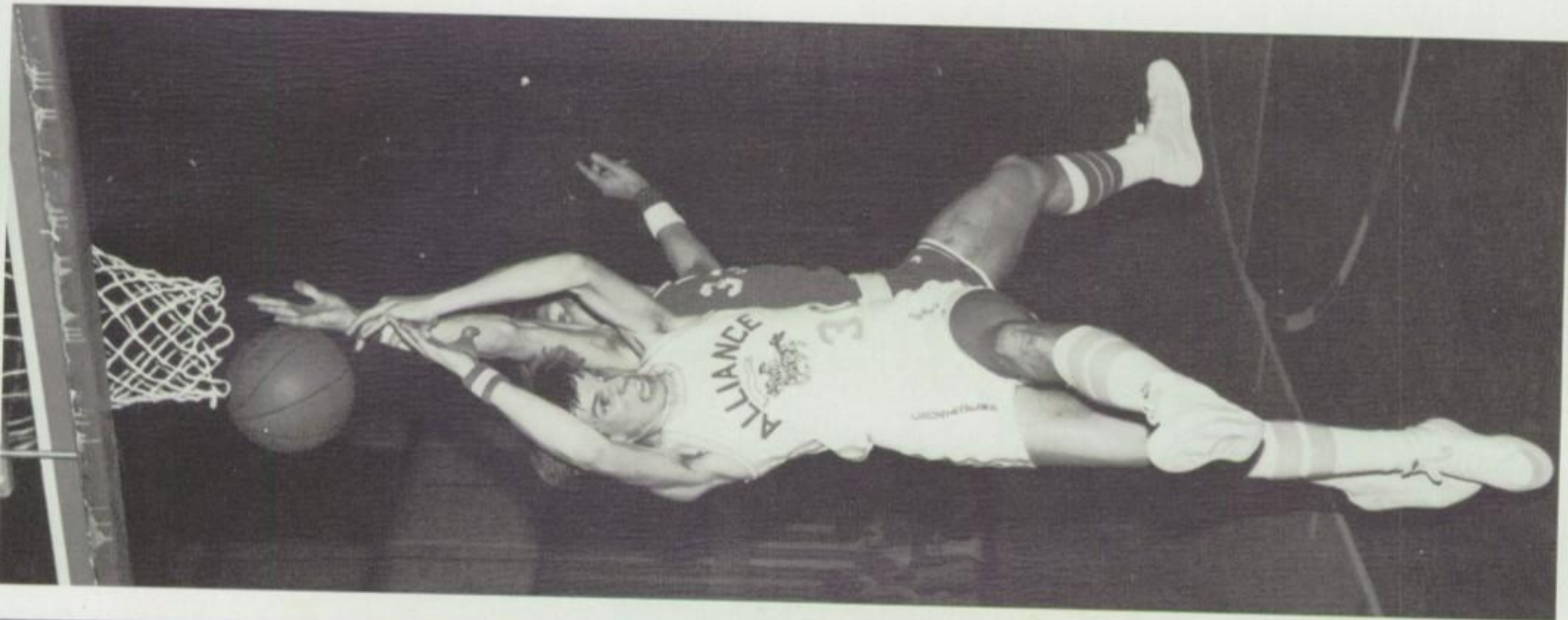


1980-81 SEASON 16-5

AC	67	Brooklane	42	AC	70	Brooklane	45
AC	55	Tabernacle	58	AC	65	Glen Iris	46
AC	47	Berachah	37	AC	56	Trinity	64
AC	50	Trinity	42	AC	66	Coosa	54
AC	52	Grace (Prattville)	33	AC	62	Tuscaloosa	49
AC	45	Grace (Decatur)	69	AC	55	Grace (Decatur)	47
AC	41	Berachah	40	AC	58	Coosa	40
AC	65	Tuscaloosa	45	AC	62	Glen Iris	41
AC	41	Tabernacle	70	AC	48	Grace (Prattville)	35

ACEA PLAYOFFS

AC	63	Brooklane	47
AC	62	Trinity	48



1980-81 JUNIOR VARSITY CRUSADERS

L. to R. Row 1: Tommy Lake, Mark Bryant, Scott Lee, Morris Franklin, David Langford. Row 2: Matthew Scheid, Manager; Casey Crane; Johnny Howard, Co-Captain; Mr. Adams, Coach; Britt York, Captain; Ron Wible; Mark Kerr.





VARSITY CHEERLEADERS 1980-81

L. to R. Leasha Abercrombie; Andrea White; Sally Ramer; Linda Bryant; Sherrie Whitten, Co-Captain; Michelle Pittman; Sandy Lee; Trina Collins, Captain.



JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS



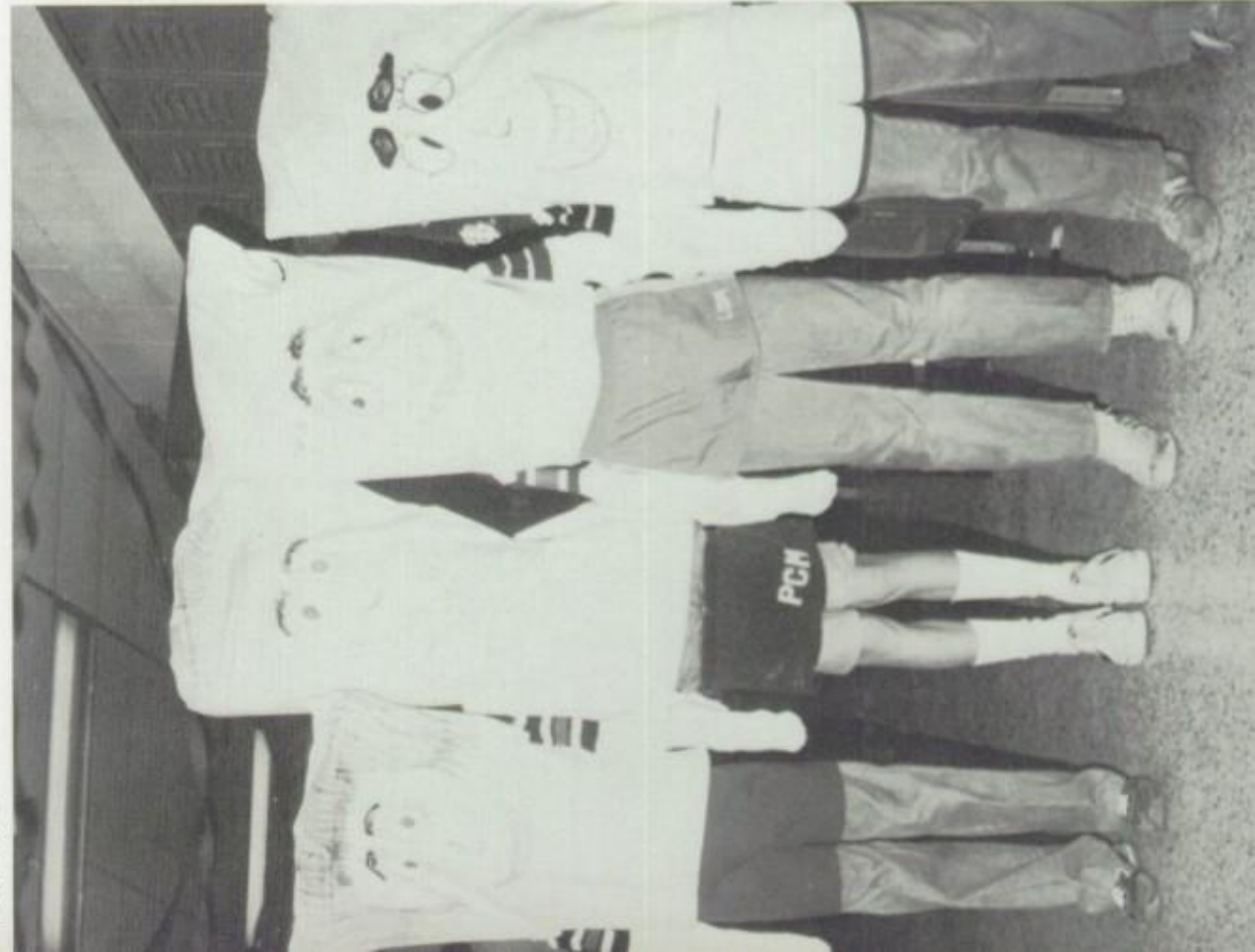
L. to R. Front Row: Becky York. Middle Row: Gina Culberson; Tracy Whitten; Kathy Higginbotham, Captain. Top Row: Suzette Dempsey; DeLaine Dawson; Leslie Triplett.



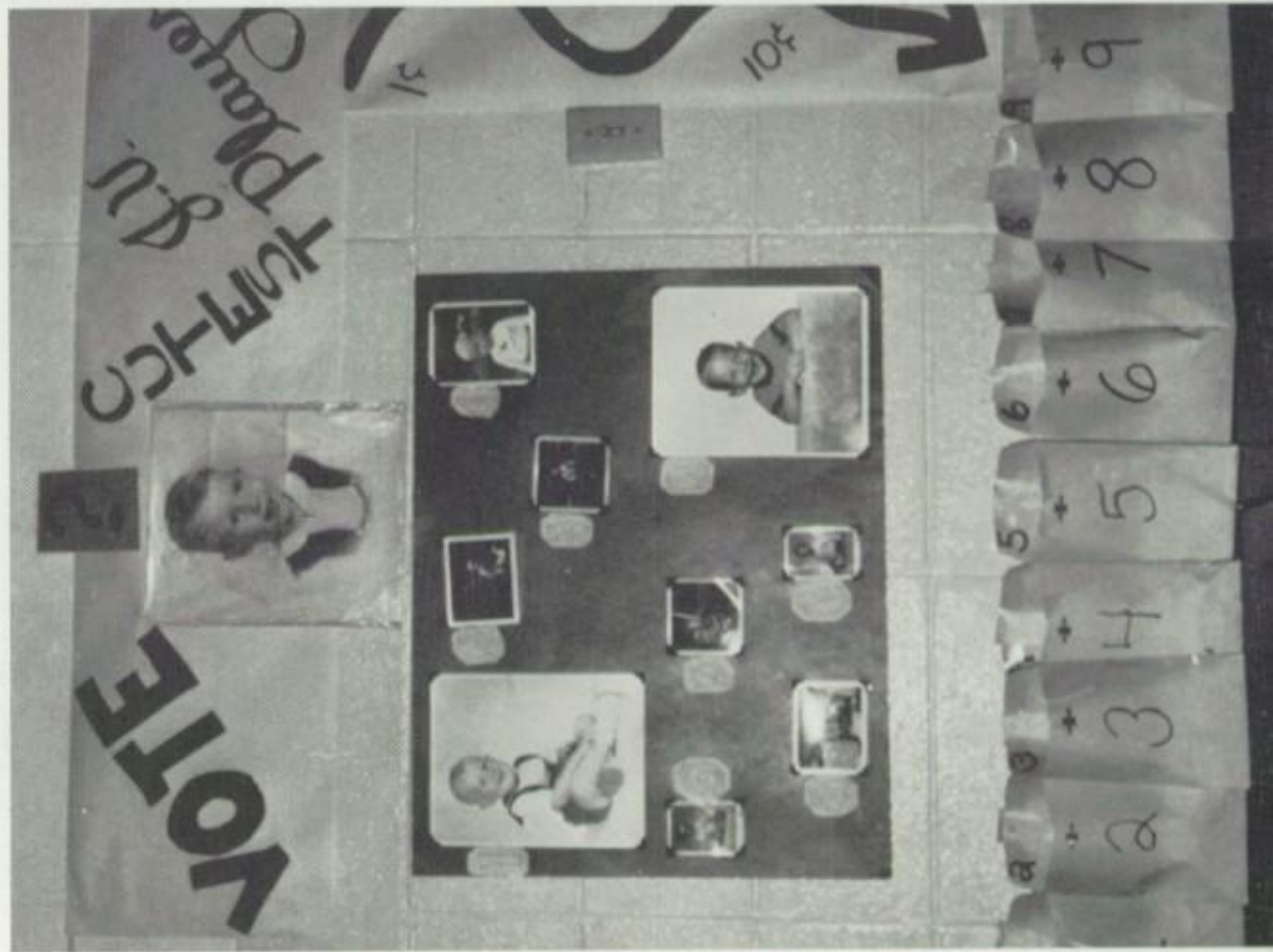
HOMECOMING WEEK

January 26-30, 1981

Seventh Graders show us what Glen Iris Swordsmen really look like.



The Junior Varsity players had a little competition off the court.



Joe Ward demonstrates a breathtaking feat — jumping over a train.



Sandy Lee expresses to Jeff Snoddy her fondness for the food provided by the Student Council.



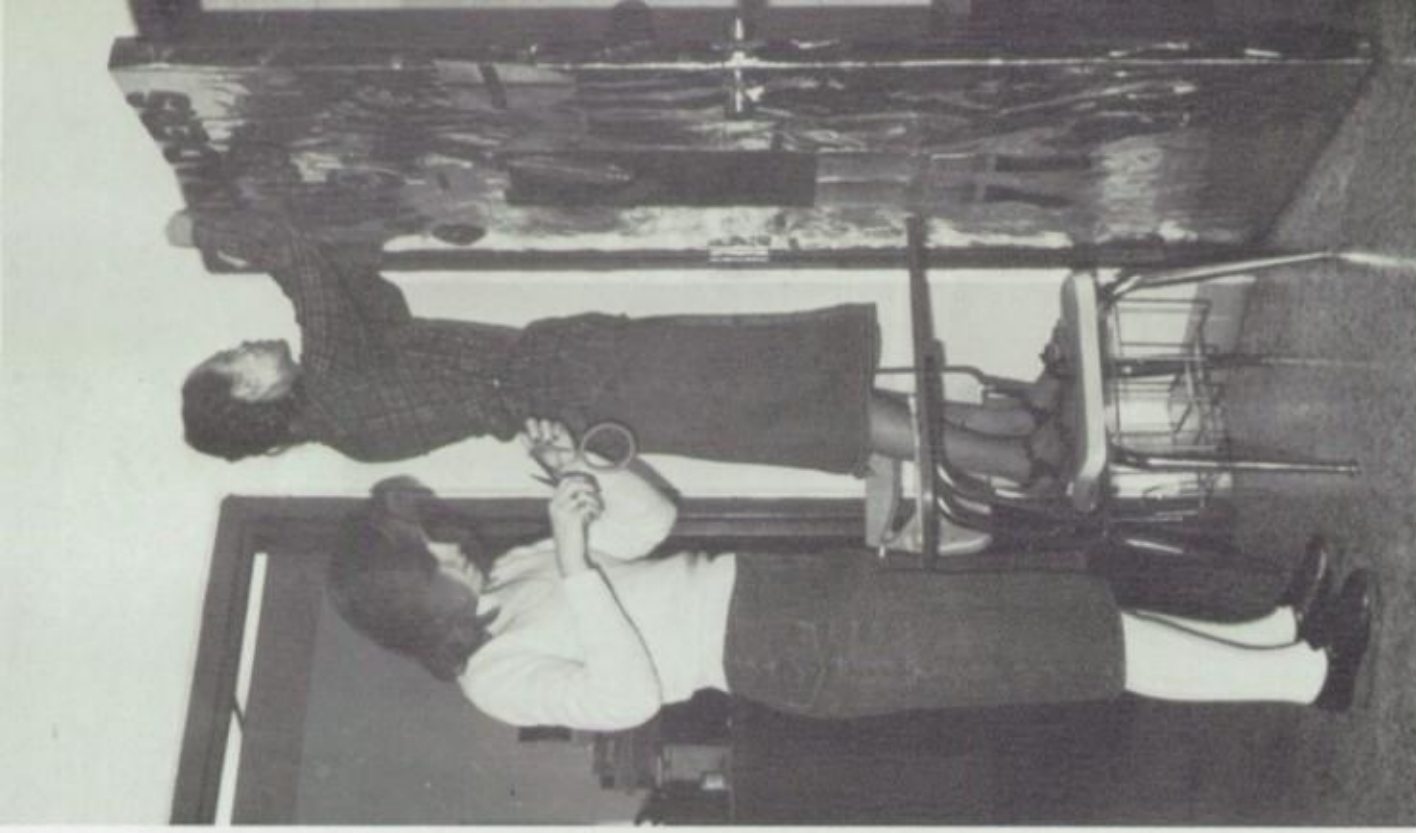
Paul Loo's hat indicates the size of his school spirit!



The East Lake Fourth Graders participated on Shoe Day in a variety of ways.



Mrs. Carroll and the cheerleaders promoted school spirit by selling mums.



Sophomores, Faith Sutton and Leasha Abercrombie work on their prize winning spirit door.



1980-82 HOMECOMING COURT

Sally Ramer — Freshman
1st Runner-up
Escort — Jeff Snoddy



Andrea White — Freshman
Escort — Troy Collins



Kim Massey — Sophomore
2nd Runner-up
Escort — Jon Langford





Hope Chi — Junior
Escort — David Howard



Lisa Turner — Junior
Escort — Jack Warren



Angela Richardson — Sophomore
Escort — Joe Ward












Kelley Phillips — Senior
Escort — Jimmy Crane



Linda Bryant — Senior
Homecoming Queen
Escort — Ronnie Bruce



Trina Collins, 1980 Homecoming Queen crowns the 1981
Homecoming Queen, Linda Bryant.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			Scott Lee 1st Place Bethany Brooks 2nd Place Jon Roth 3rd Place 4	ACS vs. Trinity 5	ACS vs. Coosa 6	 Senior High Valentine Banquet VALENTINE'S DAY
• 8	9	ACS vs. Tuscaloosa 10	11	ACS vs. Grace LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY 12	Junior High Valentine Party 13	
15	16			ACS vs. Coosa 19	Senior Class Doughnut Sale 20	21
 WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY		Vestavia Open House ACS vs. Glen Iris Spelling Contest 24	East Lake Open House 25	Jr.-Sr. High Science Fair 26	ACS vs. Grace 27	28
				SPELLING CONTEST		
				 Lee Richardson 1st Place	 Carla Lofton 2nd Place	

FEBRUARY

A TIME FOR . . .



Third place science project, "Tidal Volume," and first place project, "Air Pressure," are displayed in the science room.



SENIOR HIGH SCIENCE FAIR. L. to R. Row 1: Angela Richardson, 2nd Place; Faith Sutton, HM. Row 2: Marshall Franklin, 3rd Place; Ronnie Brakefield, HM; Jeff Snoddy, 1st Place; Kris Mitchell, HM.



Valentine's Day is celebrated with a party by the Vestavia First Graders.



Guests enjoy the book table at Vestavia Open House.



Junior, Jack Warren, shares a tender moment with Andrea Robertson, Second Grader, as he gives her a carnation.

SENIOR HIGH VALENTINE BANQUET

...Because I have you in my heart.

1981 Sweethearts: Cindy Butler, Queen; Trina Collins, 1st Alternate; Angela Richardson; Sally Ramer, 1st Alternate; Kim Massey.



The singing of Southeastern Bible College's Gateway Quartet was an important part of the evening's program.



Sheriff Oliver Badge, Chuck Pierson, arrests Bruce Good-Guy, Ron Ross, while the Friendly Gables Church Auxiliary and Helping Hands Society, Angela Richardson and Karen Mouser, are pleased to see "justice" done.



Mr. Hitchcock, Master of Ceremonies, brings the devotional.



Sherrie Whitten and Tina Henson are entertained by David Howard's intelligent conversation.



Cindy Butler is crowned by Miss Linda Bryant, 1980 Sweetheart Queen.



Those attending the banquet found the food provided by Ramada Inn both plentiful and delicious.

Casey Crane applies intense concentration in attempting to win the scavenger hunt.



Beth Dollar, Gina Culberson and Suzette Dempsey entertain themselves with the table decoration.



JUNIOR HIGH VALENTINE PARTY

1981 JUNIOR HIGH VALENTINE COURT

L. to R. Front Row:

Wanda Rivers

Leslie Triplett

Sherry Barrett, Queen

Becky York

Back Row:

Morris Franklin

Casey Crane, King

David Langford





Morris Franklin, Scott Brackner, and Bethany Brooks attempt to see how quickly the food supply can be depleted.



Mrs. Carroll and Miss Mitchell avail themselves of the refreshments.



Leslie Triplett and DeLaine Dawson take time to organize their lists of found items in the scavenger hunt.

1980-81 STUDENT COUNCIL

Representatives L. to R. Seated: Tommy Snoddy, 11; Jack Warren, 11; Marshall Franklin, 10. Standing: Linda Howard, 8; Sally Ramer, 9; Troy Collins, 12; Bethany Brooks, 7; Kelley Phillips, 12; Mr. Donmoyer, Sponsor; Morris Franklin, 8; Ronnie Brakefield, 9; Scott Lee, 7; Faith Sutton, 10.



The Student Council served hot dogs before the Homecoming bonfire.



Jack Warren, President, and Susanne Burke enjoy the Valentine Banquet, which is sponsored by the Council.
















Vice-President, Tommy Snoddy and his date, Trina Collins, help preside over the head table at the Valentine Banquet.



Troy Collins and Marshall Franklin, the Secretary-Treasurer, examine the aluminum collected by the Student Council.



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
JUNIOR HIGH 	BIBLE CONTEST Suzanne Williams 1st Place	Report Cards Go Home	Elementary Music Contest	Alabama Christian Education Association Basketball Tournament	Elementary Classic Storybook Day	
	2	3	4	5		
			Morris Franklin 2nd Place Becky York 2nd Place Lotte Walker 3rd Place	12	13	14
		Jr.-Sr. High Bible Contests ST. PATRICK'S DAY	18		ACEA Area Fine Arts Festival	
		16			20	Basketball Awards Banquet
15	Academy of Arts Week 			Performance 		
SENIOR HIGH BIBLE CONTEST 			MARCH			
Troy Collins 1st Place	Karen Mouser 2nd Place	Sherrie Whitten 3rd Place	A TIME FOR . . .			
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ELEMENTARY MUSIC CONTEST: Clockwise: Trina Freeman, HM; David Colpo, 3rd Place; Lee Richardson, HM; Mark Butler, 2nd Place. Below: Scott Russell, 1st Place.



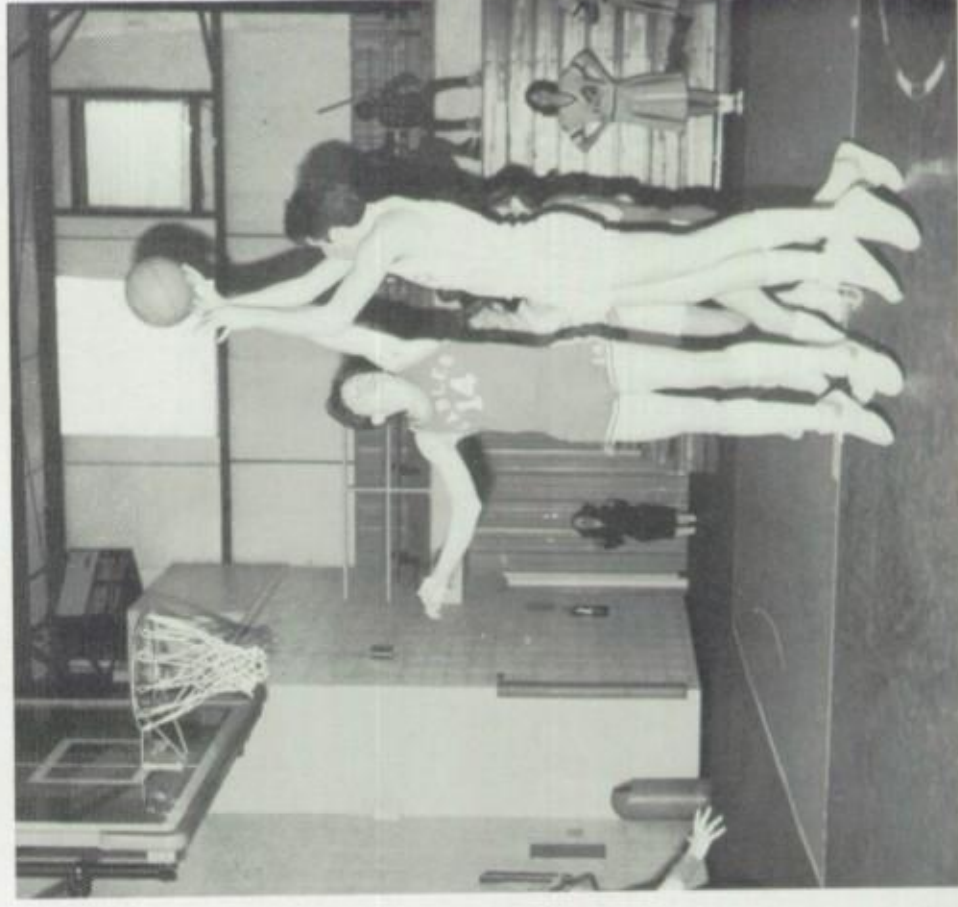
A construction worker smooths the floor of our gymnasium.



East Lake elementary students enjoy showing-off their Storybook Day costumes.



Danny McCombs goes for a basket during the ACEA championship game against the Tabernacle Eagles.



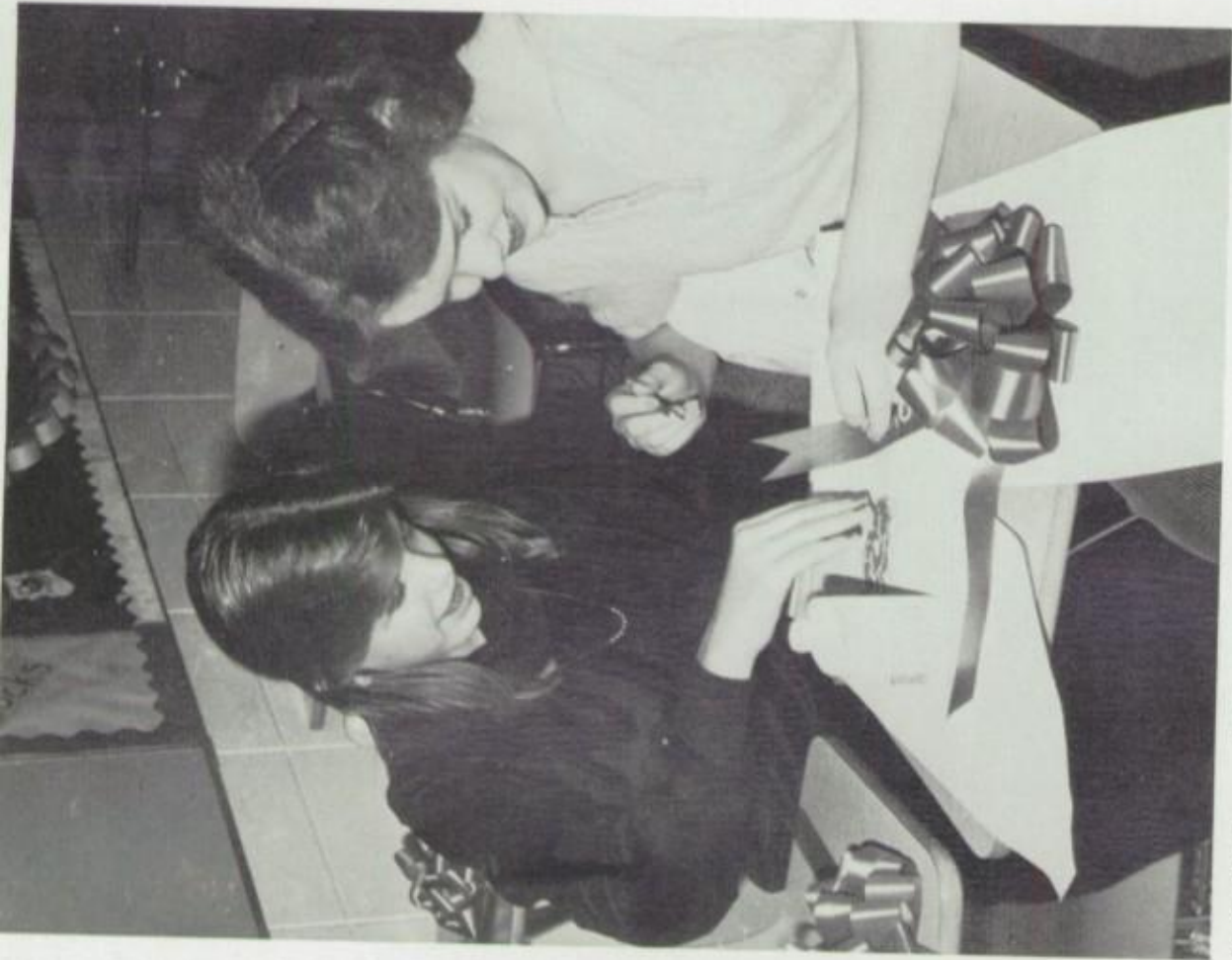
Mrs. Wible and the Vestavia Second Graders display their award-winning costumes on Storybook Day.



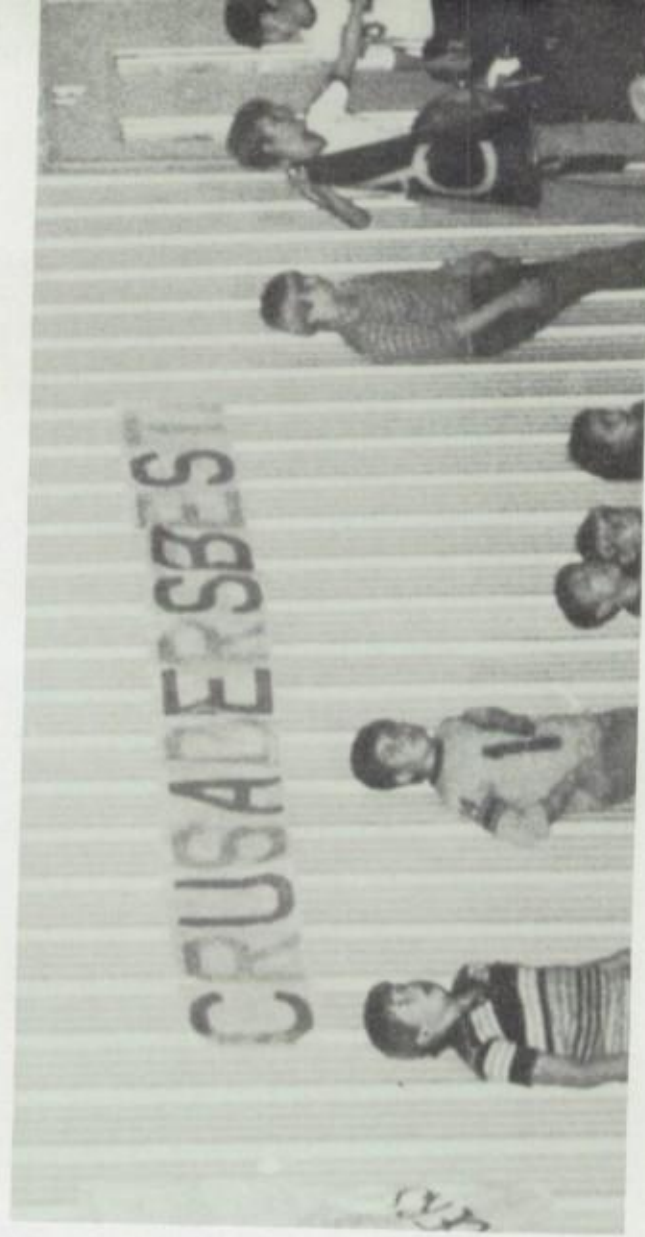


L. to R. Row 1: Karen Hayes, Angela Richardson, Kim Massey, Sherrie Whitten, Sally Ramer, Jeana Hogeland, DeLaine Dawson. Row 2: Christy Walsh; Lisa Turner, Secretary/Treasurer; Suzette Dempsey; Beth Dollar; Andrea White; Leslie Triplett; Michelle Pittman. Row 3: Chris Hayes; Karen Mouser; Kris Roy; Michele Dempsey; Gina Culberson; Becky York; Tracy Whitten; Mrs. Carroll, Sponsor. Row 4: Sandy Lee; Linda Bryant, President; Leasha Abercrombie; Trina Collins, Vice-President; Lee Schwarz; Kim Verburg; Kathy Higginbotham; Wanda Luick. Not Shown: Sherry Barrett; Mrs. Machen, Sponsor.

PEP CLUB



Beth Dollar and Christy Walsh work on a Pep Club project, making Homecoming bows for the basketball players' lockers.



One of the Pep Club's main activities is making posters for the games.

BASKETBALL AWARDS BANQUET

VARSITY AWARDS: L. to R. Tommy Snoddy — Sportsmanship; Troy Collins — Best Defensive Player, McNeal Award; Coach Ron Mitchell; Ronnie Bruce — Most Valuable Player; Joe Ward — Best Offensive Player.



JUNIOR VARSITY AWARDS: L. to R. Johnny Howard — Best Defensive Player; Britt York — Best Offensive Player, Most Valuable Player, Sportsmanship.



Steve Franklin brought a spiritual challenge.



JV Cheerleaders, Kathy Higginbotham, Becky York, and Tracy Whitten, relish the food provided by Altadena Country Club.





JV Coach Mr. Braxton Adams, awards player Britt York his trophy.



Mrs. Carroll, JV Cheerleader Sponsor, introduces the next part of the program.



Scott Lee, JV player, fills his plate from the buffet.



Pastor and Mrs. Maurer converse while presiding at the head table.



Varsity Cheerleader, Sherrie Whitten, is presented her trophy by Sponsor, Mrs. Wendy Machen.

Mrs. Chris Franseen checks Tommy Lake's makeup while 96 makeup crew member, Angie Peaden, listens to her directions.



Team member, Ken Hines, instructs the sound crew on their cues.

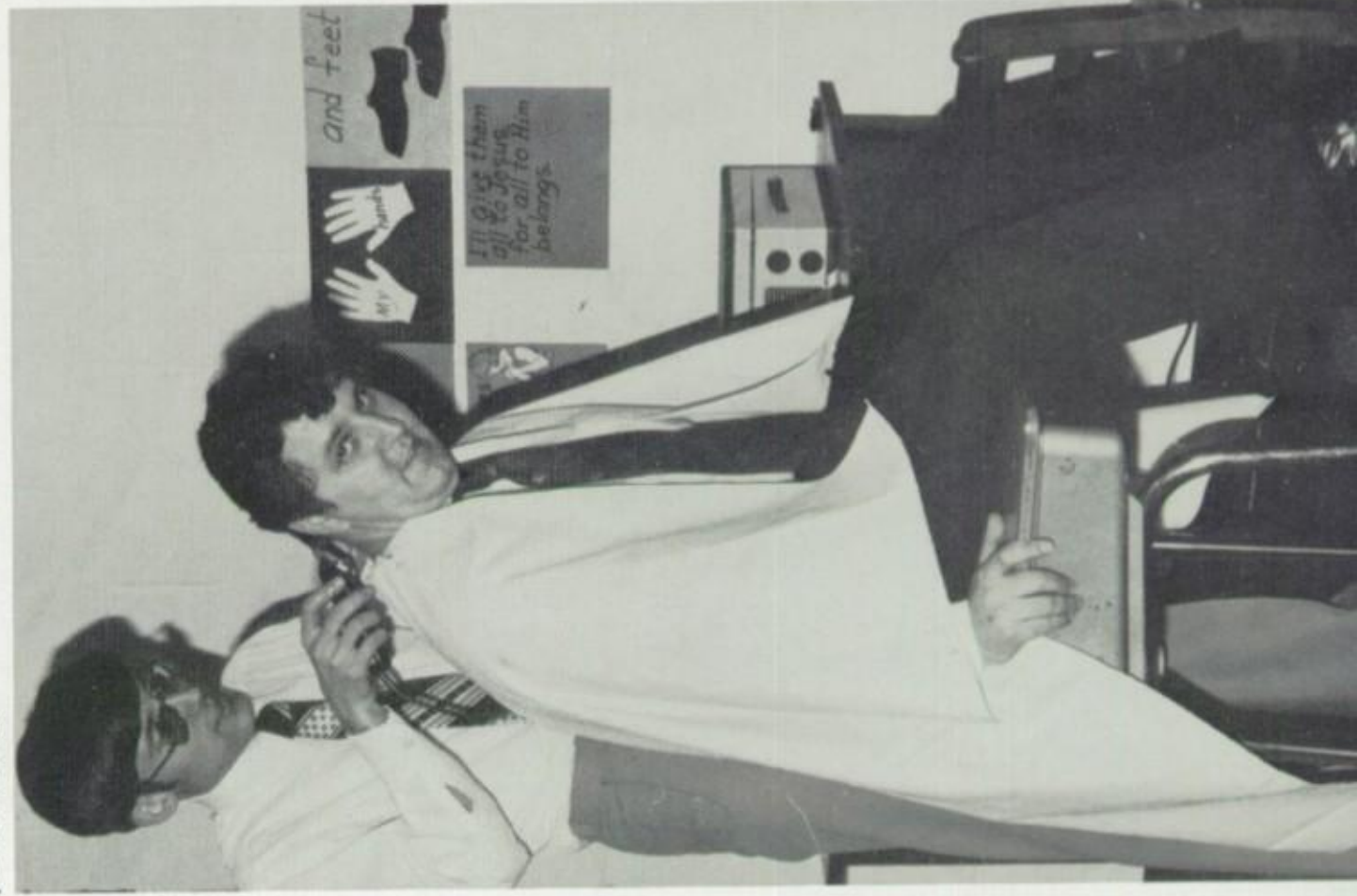


ACADEMY OF ARTS

March 23-27

"The Man Without a Country"

Dr. Nicky Chavers, Director of Academy of Arts, gets a haircut from Tom Franseen in preparation for the evening's performance.



Mr. John McIntosh works with stage crew member, Kris Mitchell, on some lighting equipment.



Jack Criswell and Ronnie Bruce spend one of many hours of rehearsal that took place during the week.





Phillip Nolan (Jack Criswell) and Aaron Burr (Chuck Turner) have a good time with the Blind-folded Girl (Helen Krontiras) before a serious political discussion.





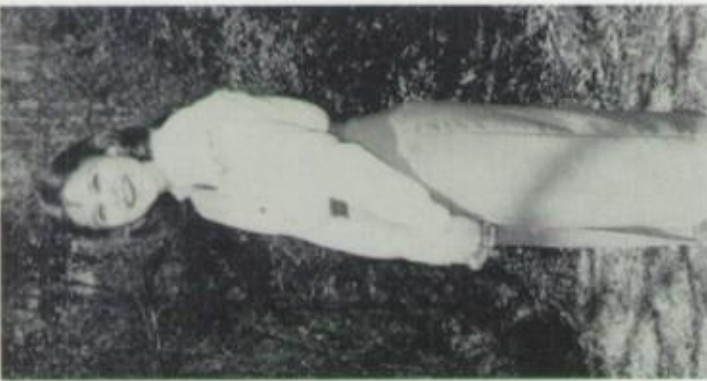





Elizabeth (Faith Sutton) and Naomi (Melinda Franklin) with their aunt (Cindy Butler) prepare for the party on board the Warren.



The soldiers in the barracks discuss Phillip Nolan's involvement with Aaron Burr.

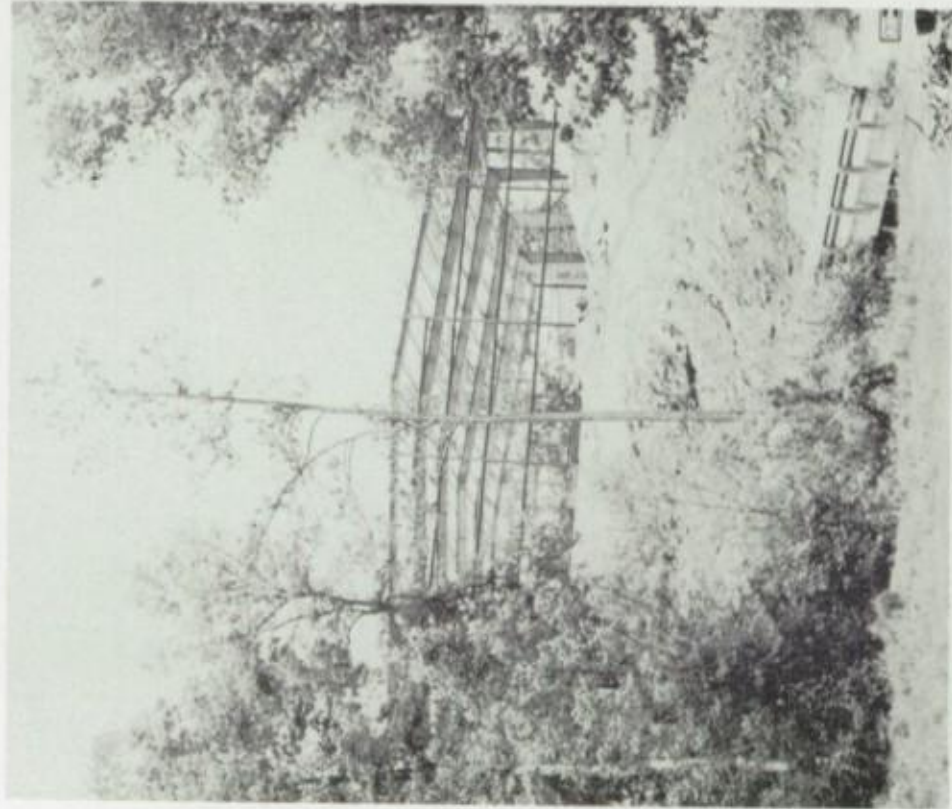


Signalman (Wes Criswell) sends a message to the U.S.S. Warren in order to transfer Phillip Nolan.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
APRIL						
A TIME FOR . . .						
East Lake ACS Sunday 5		Elementary Bible Contest Girls' Softball ACS vs. Katherwood 7	1		ACEA Track and Field Competition Prattville, Alabama 3	 Spring Arrives!
PALM SUNDAY 12		East Lake Easter Chapel 14	8	Girls' Softball ACS vs. Tabernacle 9	ACEA Fine Arts and Academic Festival 10	
			15	Vestavia Easter Chapels Report Cards Go Home 16	GOOD FRIDAY School Closed 17	18
EASTER Sunrise Service at ACS-Vestavia 19	School Closed 20	21	22	23		
Birmingham Gospel Tabernacle ACS Sunday 26	Lee Richardson 1st Place 	Beth Ann Davis 2nd Place 	ELEMENTARY BIBLE CONTEST Missy Walsh 3rd Place 	Mark Butler Honorable Mention 		



The 1980-81 Mr. and Miss Alliance presentation took place in chapel!



99 P.E. classes on the field can see the erected steel of the gymnasium.



Junior-Senior High students participate in an outdoor Easter Chapel.



Fifth Graders watch the landing of the U.S.S. Constitution on television.

MR. AND MISS ALLIANCE NOMINEES

MR. ALLIANCE — JACK CRISWELL



Ronnie Bruce



Troy Collins



Jimmy Crane



Joe Ward





Linda Bryant



Melinda Franklin



MISS ALLIANCE — CINDY BUTLER



Susan Hawkins

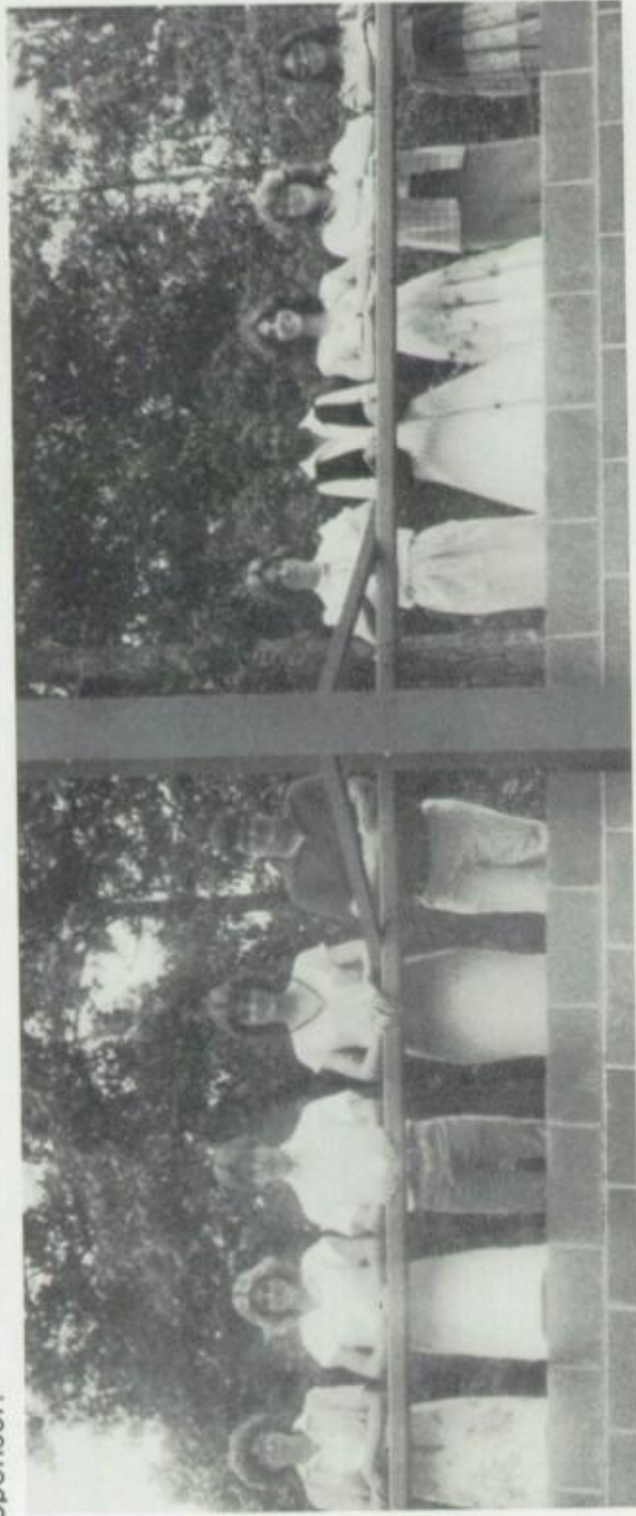


Kelley Phillips

Nominations for Mr. Alliance and Miss Alliance are made by the Senior High faculty. These are young people they consider to be outstanding examples of the Christian students in our High School. Primary consideration for the nomination is the Christian testimony of each young person, but academic standing, sportsmanship and service are also considered. Mr. Alliance and Miss Alliance are then chosen by vote of the Junior and Senior High students.

1980-81 CRUSADER STAFF

From L. to R. Chris Hayes; Andrea White; Ronnie Brakefield; Linda Bryant; Peter Sarris; Debbie Brakefield; Delbra Miller, Co-editor; Susan Hawkins, Co-editor; Kathy Higginbotham; Mrs. Freeman, Sponsor.



Delbra Miller, Co-editor, agonizes over the finances of the *Crusader*.



Chris Hayes and Co-editor, Susan Hawkins, sell a newspaper to an elementary student, Michelle Lee.



On Valentine's Day, Kathy Higginbotham and Andrea White deliver carnations that the Crusader Staff sold to help pay for the newspaper.

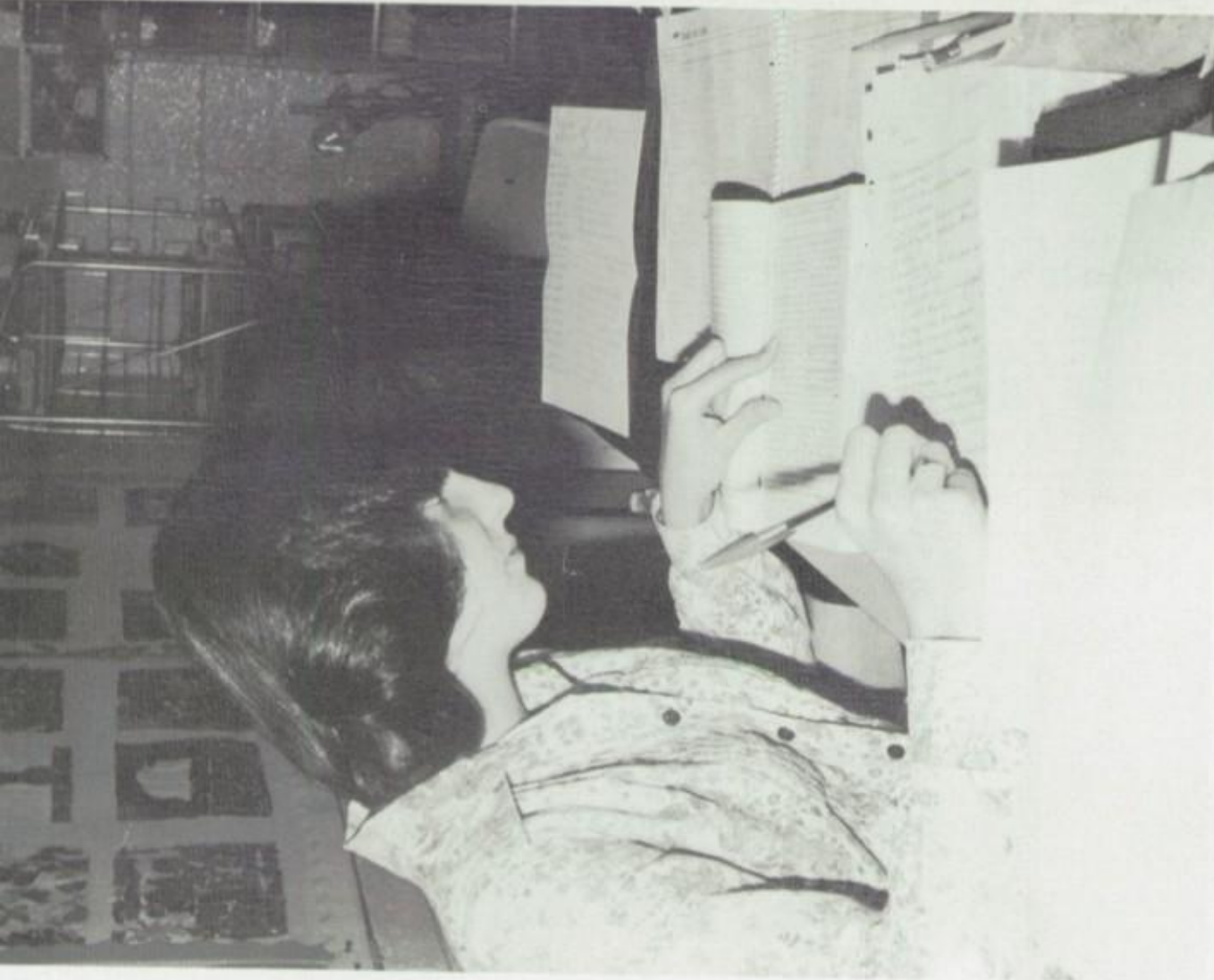










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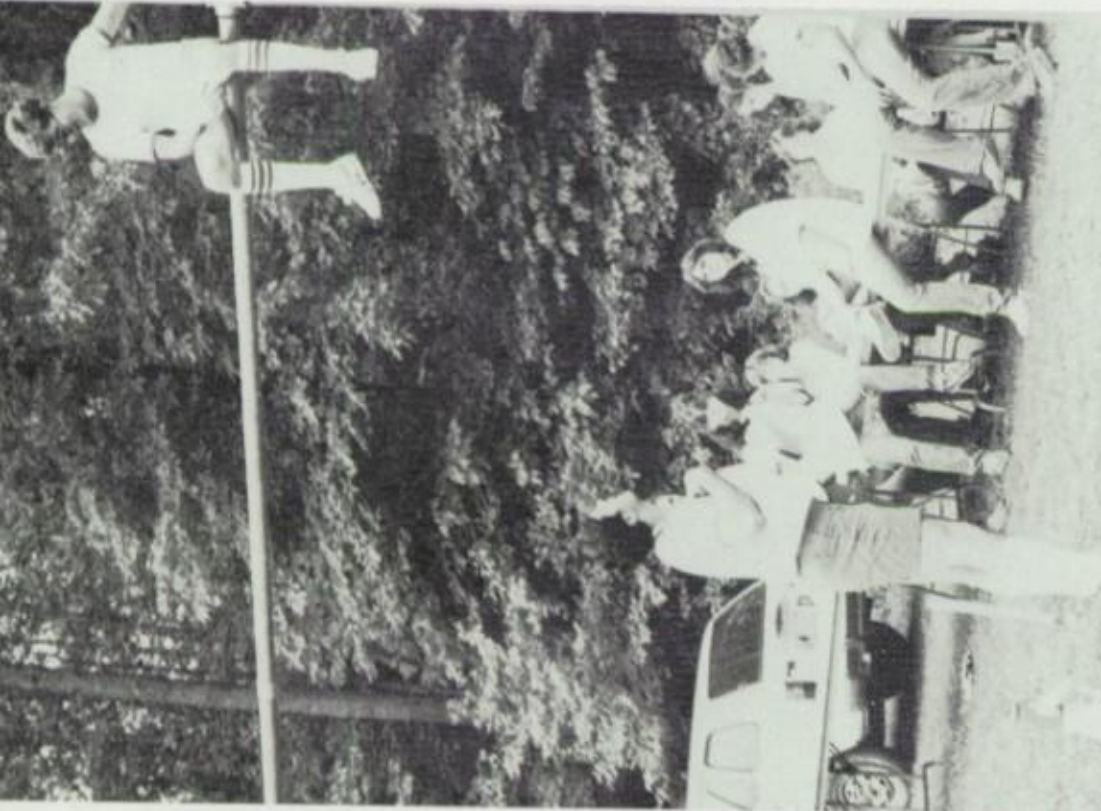


Assisting elementary teachers, a function of the FTA, keeps Dianne Davis busily occupied.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
MAY							
A TIME FOR . . .							
	 Girls' Softball AC vs. Cathedral	5	Junior High Math Contest 6	7	Vestavia Elementary Field Day Vestavia Piano Recital		
					East Lake Field Day Senior Class Night 15		
					East Lake Field Day Senior Class Night 15	 Vestavia Kindergarten Graduation	
MOTHER'S DAY 10	18	12	13	Honors Chapel 14	Testimony Chapel 21	23	
							20
							26
24	17	Junior-Senior High Final Exams		28	29	Senior Class Graduation Rehearsal 30	
		Elementary Outings East Lake Kindergarten Graduation 25	 Last day of school				
		Commencement					



While the Vestavia elementary students listen, Mrs. Adams presents their final awards and honors.



Joe Moore introduces his own personal field event on Jr.-Sr. High Field Day.



Mrs. Franklin prepares to take an East Lake Kindergartener's graduation picture.



To compensate for his Spring Fever, Ronnie Brakefield invests some valuable time in day-dreaming.



Mount Vernon, Washington's home in Virginia, is a highlight of the Seniors' trip.

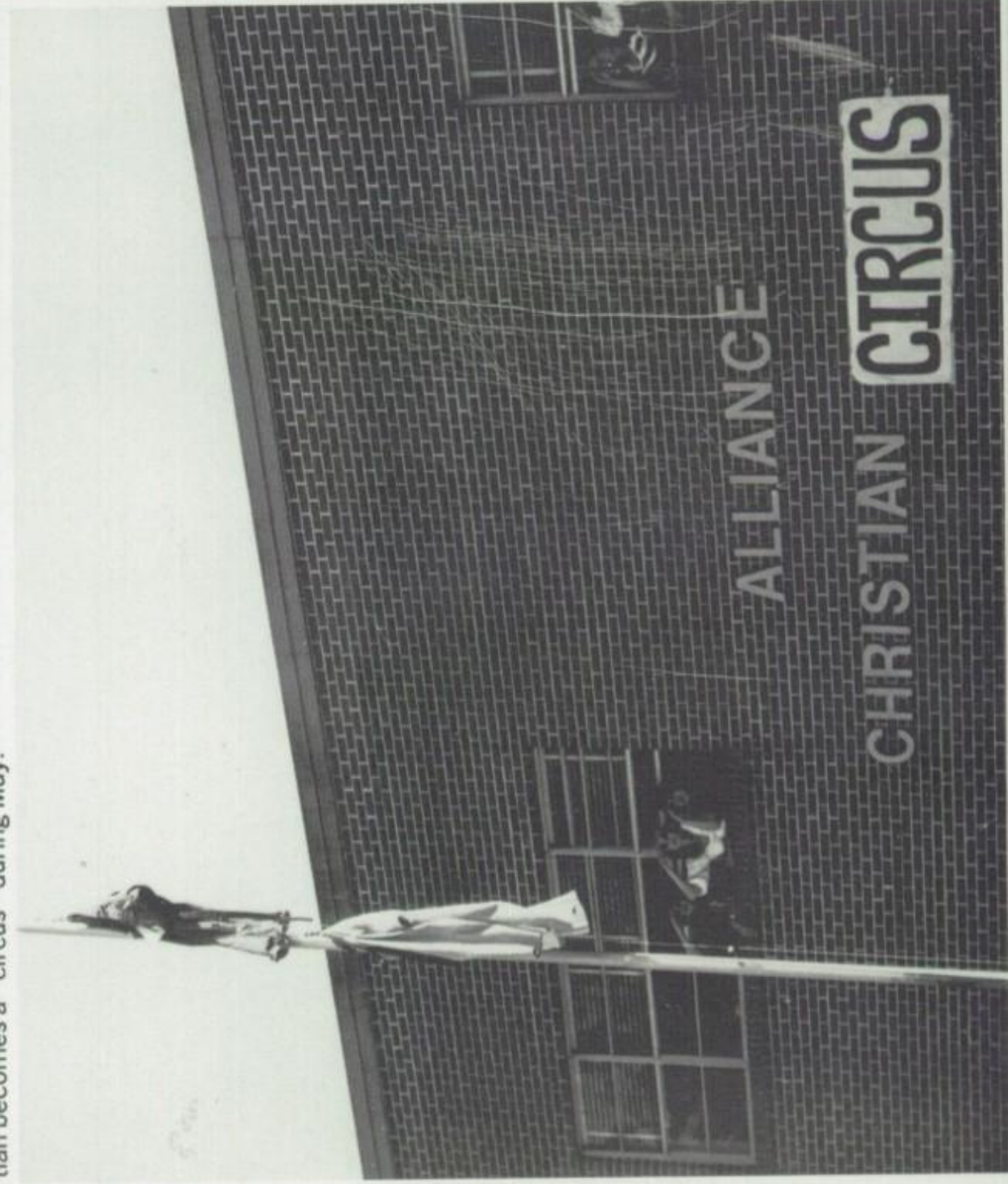
Second Graders attempt to earn their "Principal's Award" by quoting at least 65 Bible verses.



Elementary students compete in their annual math contest.



Chuck Turner's, Scott Hughes', and Jimmy Crane's pants on the flagpole illustrate why Alliance Christian becomes a "circus" during May.

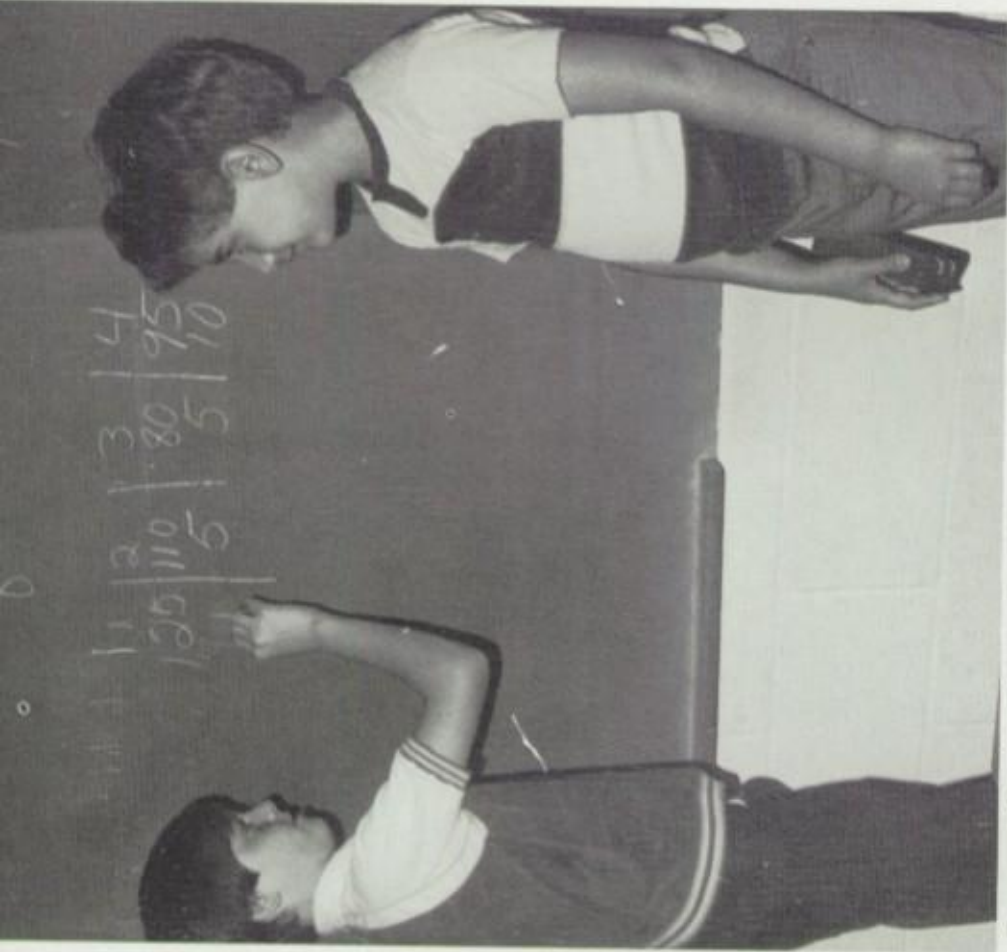


Joy Sutton is inducted into the Beta Club during Jr.-Sr. High Honors Chapel.





Steve Farmer is transformed into a slave for "The Man Without a Country" performance with some makeup by Angie Peaden.



Dwayne Barden shows Patrick Kerns a math drill in Fourth Grade at East Lake.



Juniors Mike Bennett and Brian Pate are amused by the existence of Joe Moore.

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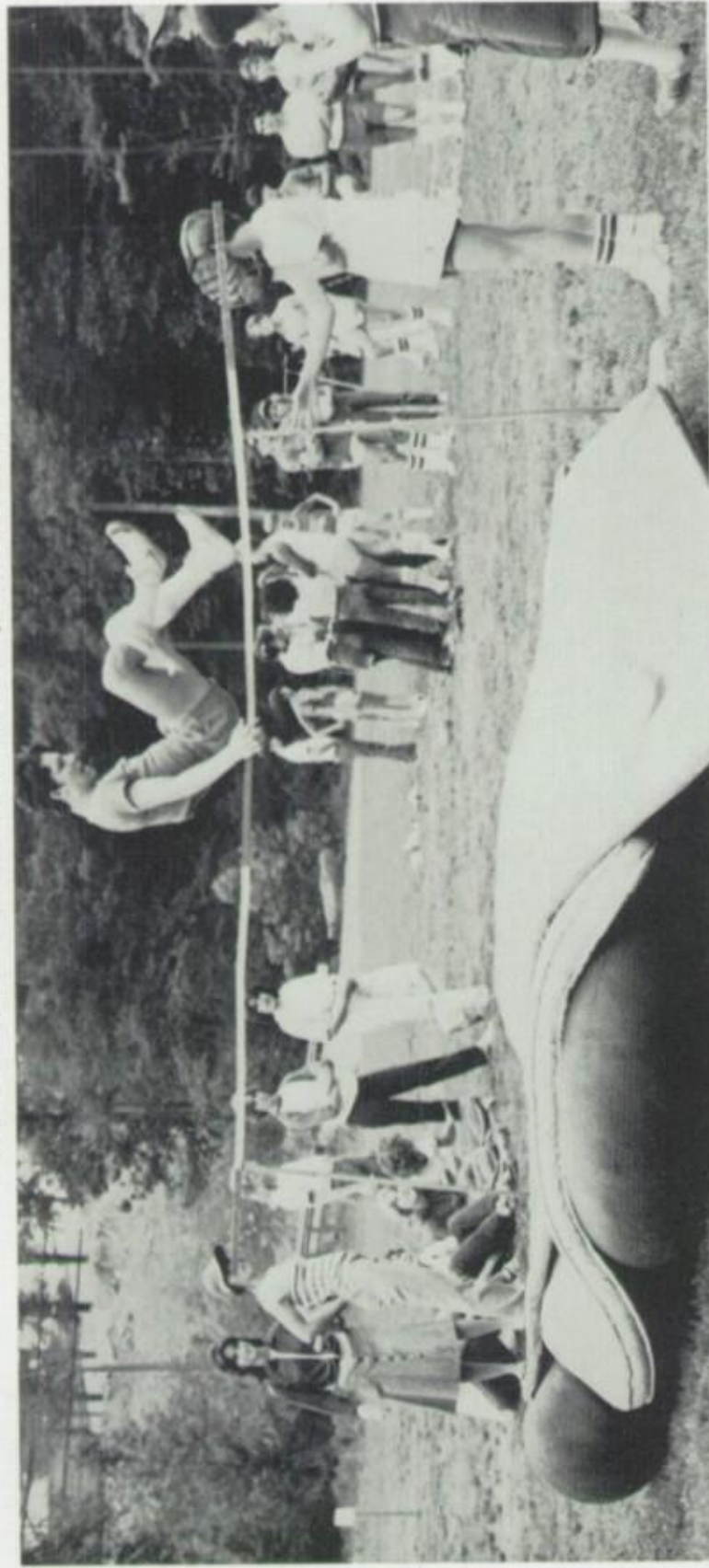


JR.-SR. HIGH FIELD DAY

Speaker Marty Benton emphasizes the spiritual aspect of athletics.



In a big attempt to win, Joel Haskins easily clears the high jump.



Miss Boyd and Mr. D lend their talents to the organization of events.



In the Junior High boys' broad jump, Jon Roth gives a concentrated effort.





Ron Wible, Joe Ward, Chuck Turner, and Brian Pate go all out to run an endurance event.



Hope Chi puts all her strength behind the shot put.



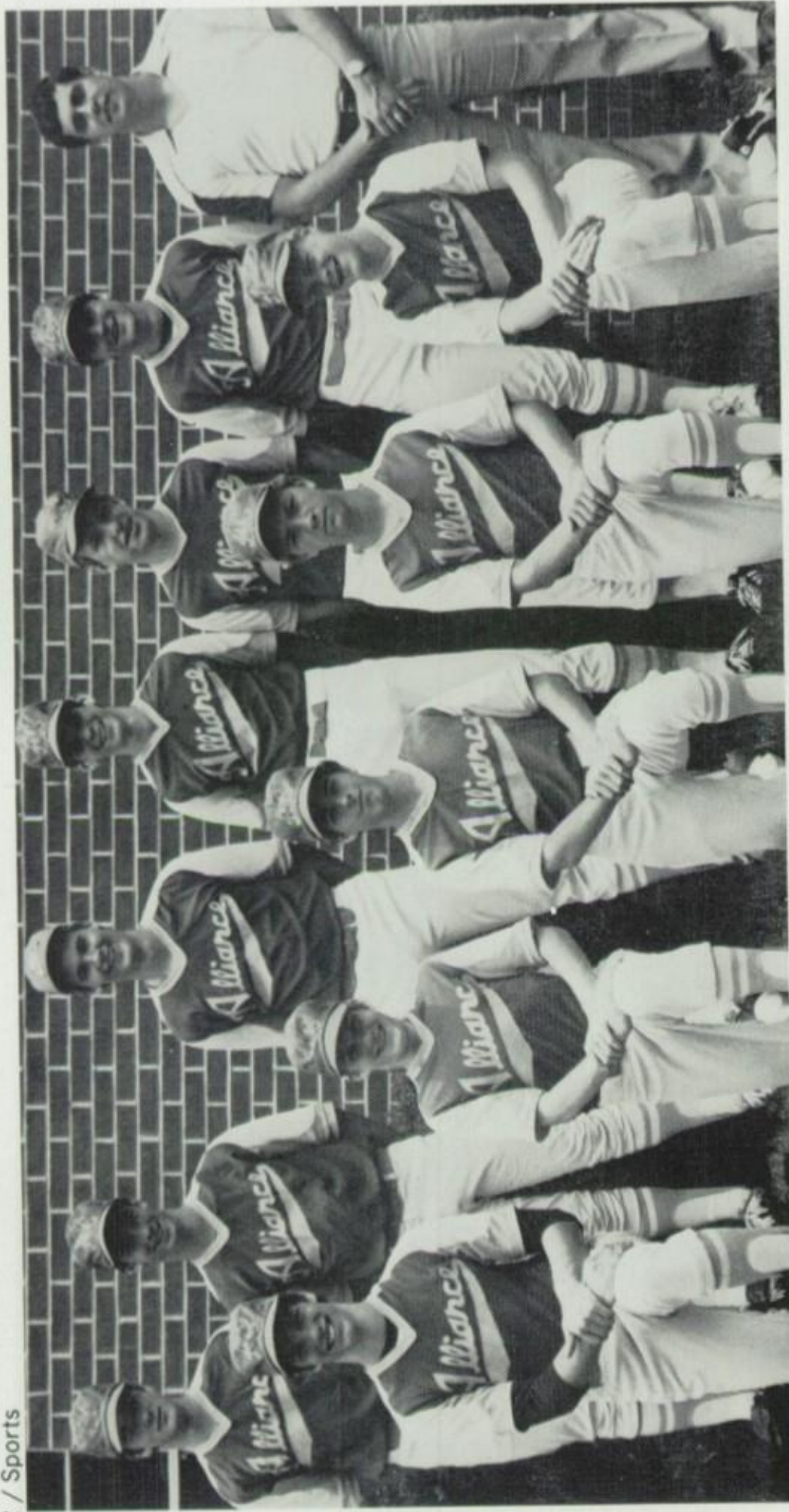
Julie Thornton has a good showing in the softball throw.



An umbrella helps Angie Peaden, Miss Mitchell, and Laura Giles enjoy the rainy field day, as Sherry Barrett just gets wet.

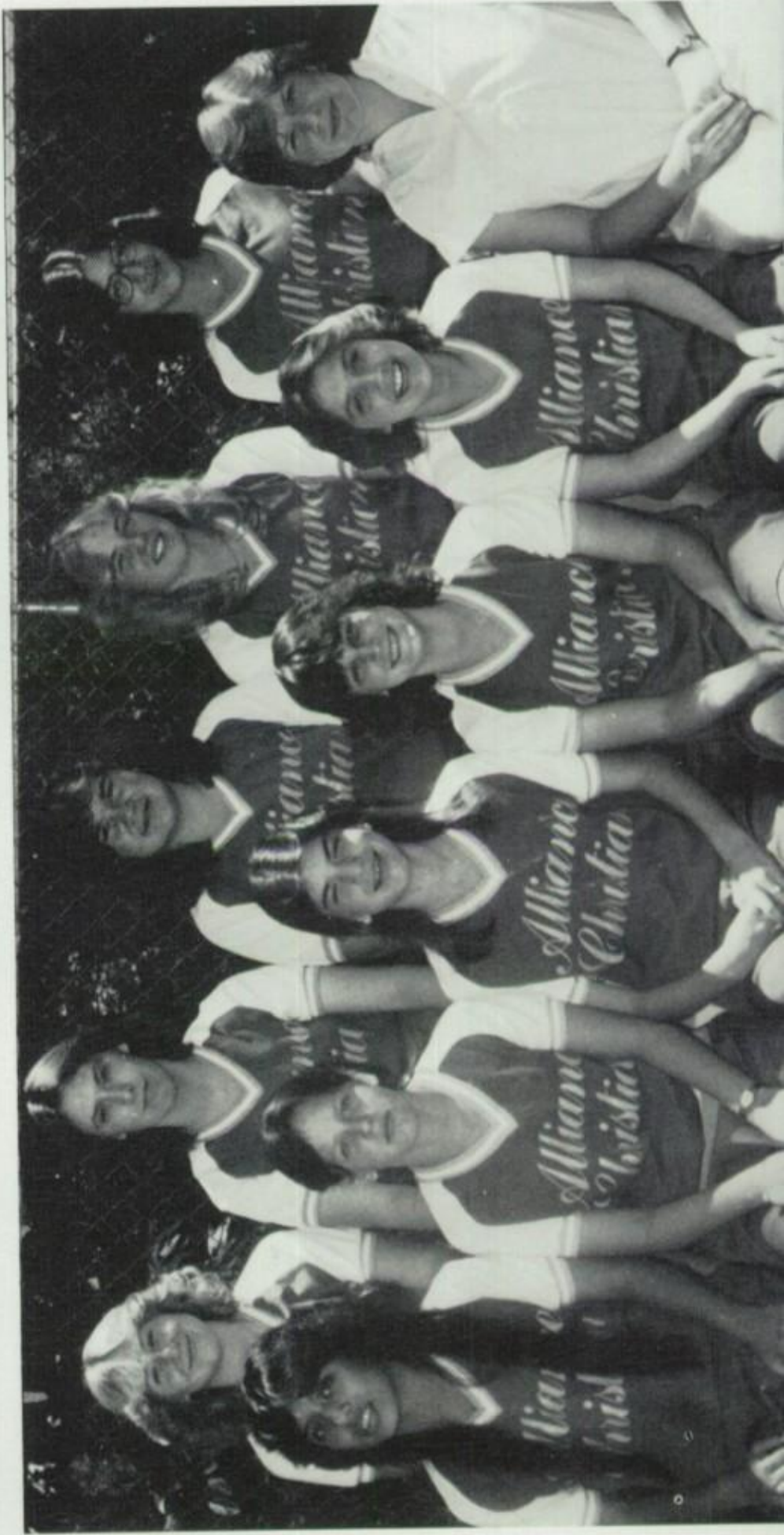
1981 BASEBALL TEAM

From L. to R. Front Row:
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Paul Gilbert, Buster Gamble,
Kris Mitchell.
Second Row:
Jon Langford, Mike Bennett,
Scott Hughes, Tim Mitchell,
Britt York, Troy Collins,
Coach Ron Mitchell.



1981 GIRLS' SOFTBALL TEAM

From L. to R. Front Row:
Suzanne Williams,
Jeana Hogeland, Beth Dollar,
Linda Howard, Wanda Rivers,
Coach Wendy Machen.
Second Row:
Karen Hayes, Becky Nelson,
Lisa McKay, Wanda Luick,
Margaret Sarris.





Hot dogs are a big attraction at Vestavia lunch.



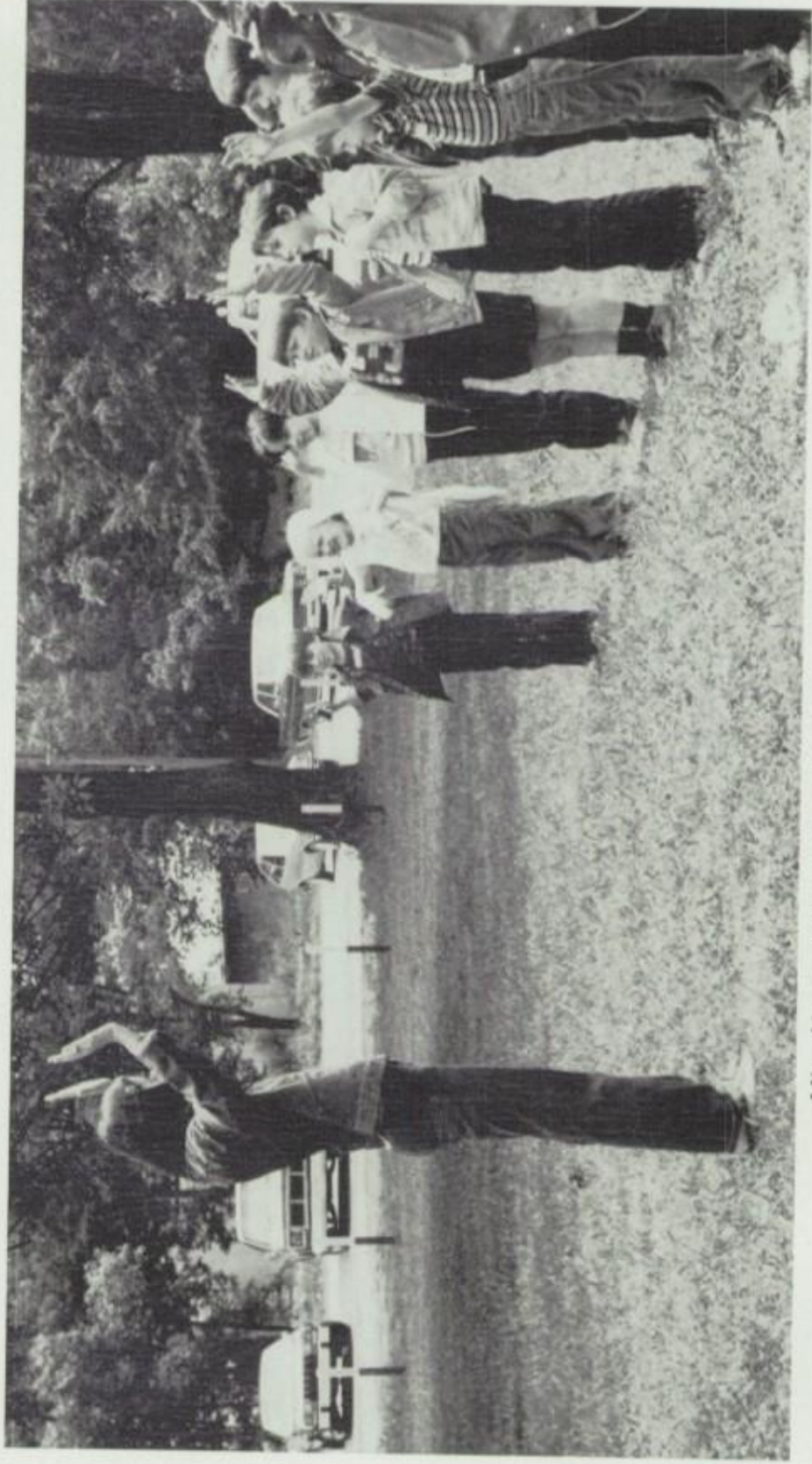
An exciting wheelbarrow race is enjoyed by the East Lake students.



Delighted with their lunch break, Vestavia students play on the bars.



Mrs. Sheridan supervises the running broad jump.



Miss Alexander leads her class in a game of "Simon Says."

ELEMENTARY FIELD DAY

Rene' Godbehere, as Goldilocks, talks to the Gingerbread Boy, Andrew Harris.



Tiffany Tutt, Vestavia Kindergartener, receives her diploma from Mrs. Adams.



KINDERGARTEN GRADUATIONS

East Lake Kindergarten students demonstrate the knowledge they have gained about phonics during the year.

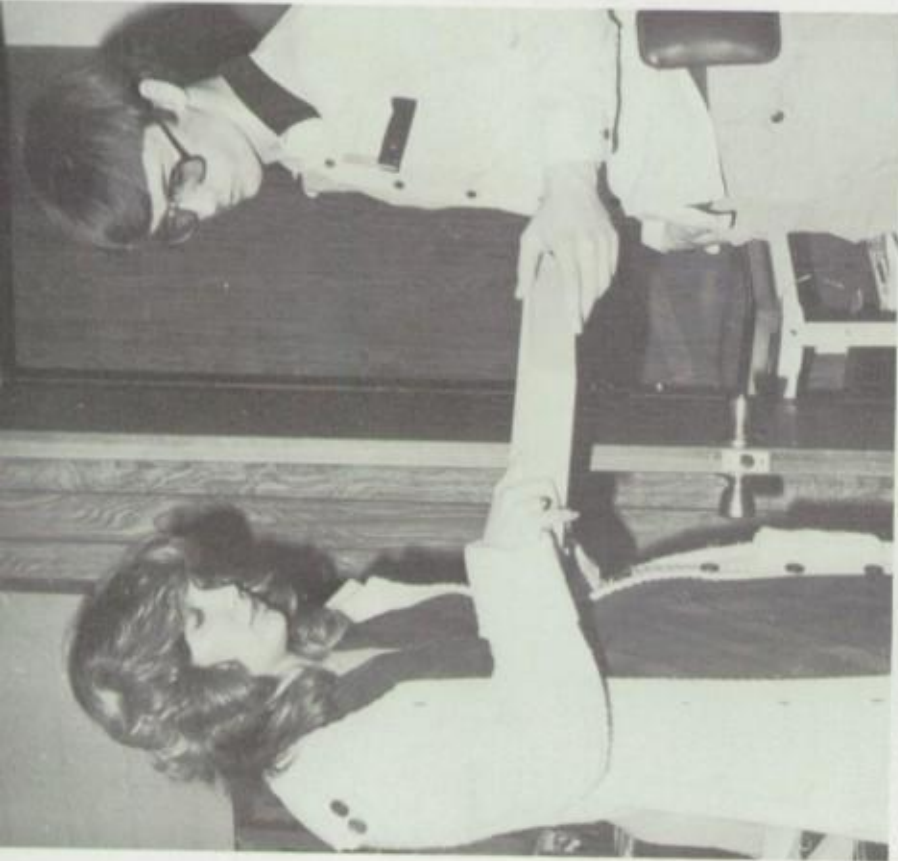


Mrs. Adams congratulates a Haddadin twin as she presents his certificate.



Jana Healy recites, "He's Still Working On Me," as part of the Vestavia program.





Editor Kelley Phillips gives Ron Ross specifications for picture printing.



Photographer and Advisor, Mrs. Franklin, with Assistant Editor Melinda Franklin, approve final layouts for the yearbook.



1981 SHIELD STAFF

From L. to R. Row 1: Dianne Davis — Classes Editor; Faith Sutton — Student Life Editor. Row 2: Kelley Phillips — EDITOR; Kim Massey — Classes. Row 3: Ron Ross — Darkroom, Photography, Organizations Editor; Allen Leverett — Advertising Editor, Organizations; Joel Haskins — Sports, Photography; Marshall Franklin — Sports Editor, Photography. Not Shown: Mrs. Mary Ann Hitchcock, Typist.

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WHO'S WHO IN AMERICAN HIGH SCHOOLS From L. to R. Row 1: Kelley Phillips, Cindy Butler. Row 2: Delbra Miller, Joy Sutton. Row 3: Jack Criswell, Tommy Snoddy.



SENIOR HIGH ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE From L. to R. Front Row: Cindy Butler, Kelley Phillips, Delbra Miller, Suzanne Smith, Hope Chi, Faith Sutton, Andrea White, Kathy Higginbotham. Back Row: Troy Collins, Chuck Turner, Tommy Snoddy, Marshall Franklin, Jeff Snoddy, Tim Mitchell, Ronnie Brakefield, Allen Leverett. Not Shown: Randall Howard.



JUNIOR HIGH ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE Clockwise: Bethany Brooks, Carla Lofton, Lotte Walker, Becky York.



1980-81 BETA CLUB From L. to R. Row 1: Jeff Snoddy, Joy Sutton, Marshall Franklin, Faith Sutton, Tim Mitchell, Miss Mitchell, Sponsor. Row 2: Hope Chi, Suzanne Smith, Linda Bryant, Cindy Butler, Kelley Phillips, Delbra Miller. Row 3: Tommy Snoddy, Chuck Turner, Randall Howard, Troy Collins, Jack Criswell.





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Scott Hughes and Chuck Turner promote the Seniors' clearance sale of Cliff Notes.



The Prescott family — Edward (Jimmy Crane), Abigail (Tina Henson), Nancy (Melinda Franklin) and Oliver (Chuck Turner) — discuss their dilemma while Oliver polishes his trombone.



SENIOR CLASS NIGHT

The villainous Harrison T. Swift gloats over his wealth after tying the lovely Nancy to the railroad track.



Grandma Prescott (Sherrie Whitten) confuses Abigail and Oliver with her strange remarks.



"Come Thou Fount," sung by the Senior Class, introduces the serious section of the program.





Mr. Hitchcock presents the Faculty Bible College Scholarship to Melinda Franklin



Dr. Paul Alford, President of Toccoa Falls College, brought a spiritual challenge to the Seniors.



As a brand-new graduate, Jimmy Crane descends from the platform.



The Senior quartet expresses the commencement theme, "we've only just begun," by singing, "Yesterday, Today, Forever."



The 1981 Senior Class enters the Tabernacle auditorium to "Pomp and Circumstance."

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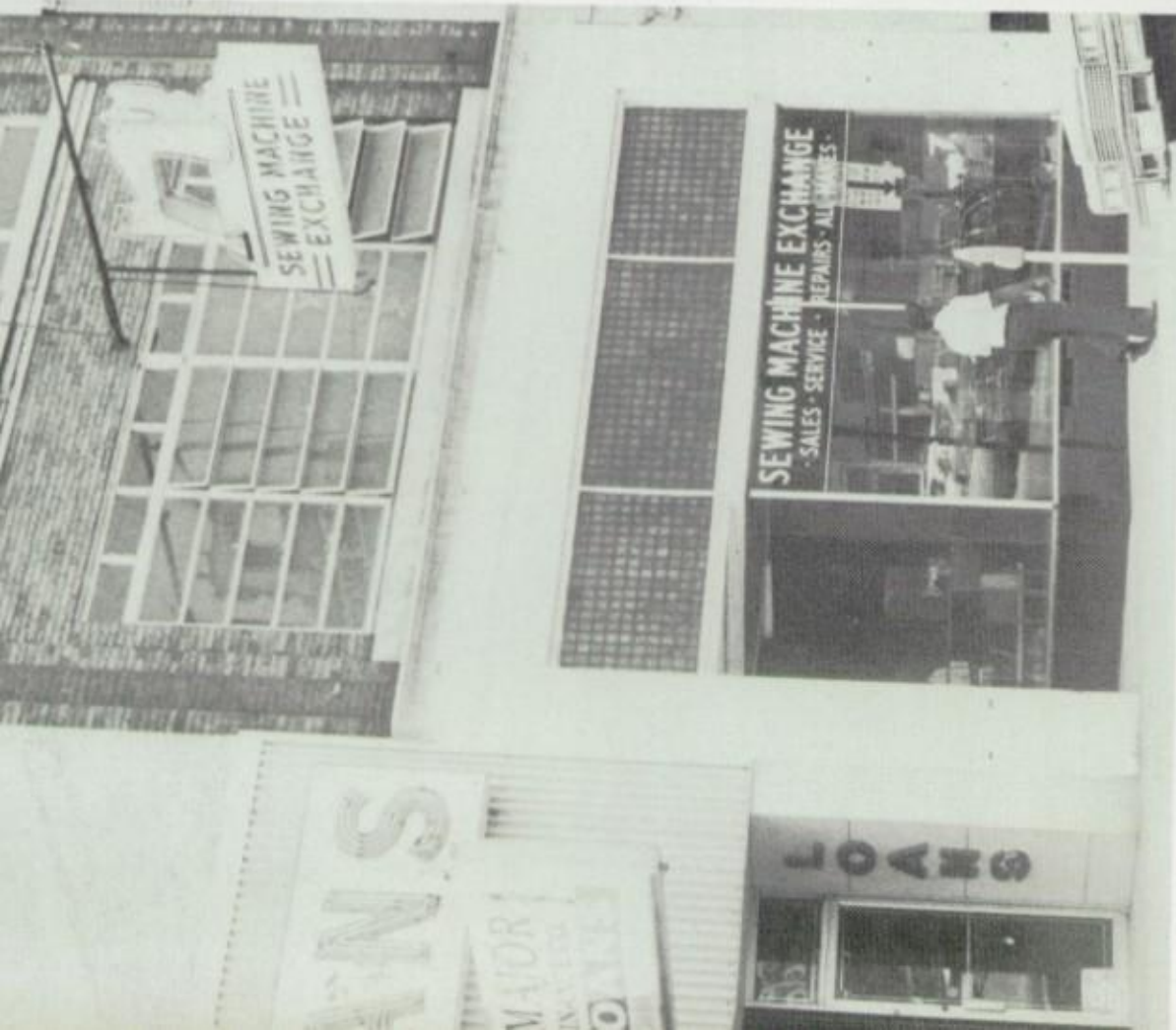
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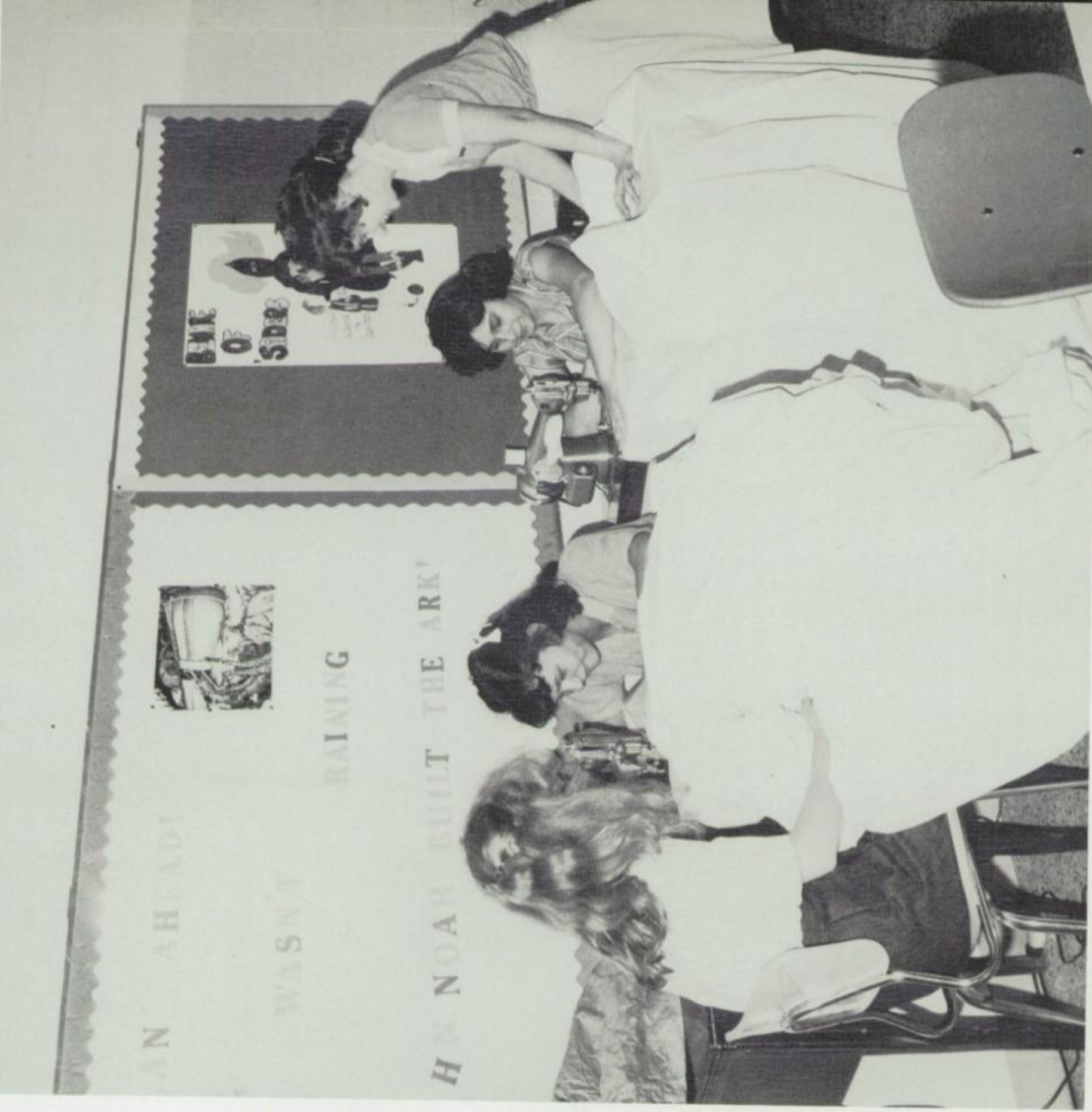
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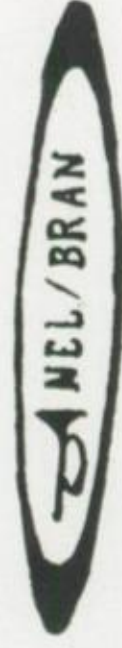
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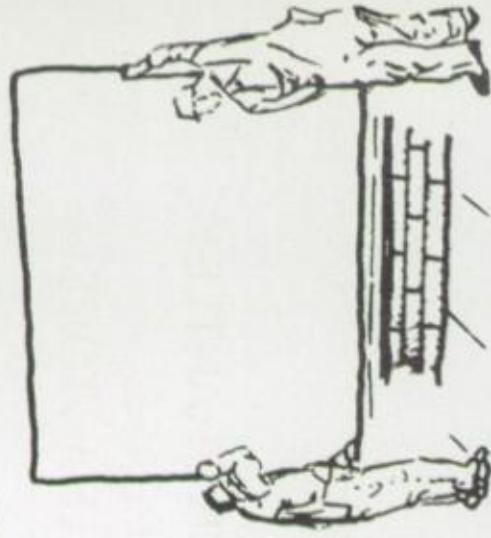
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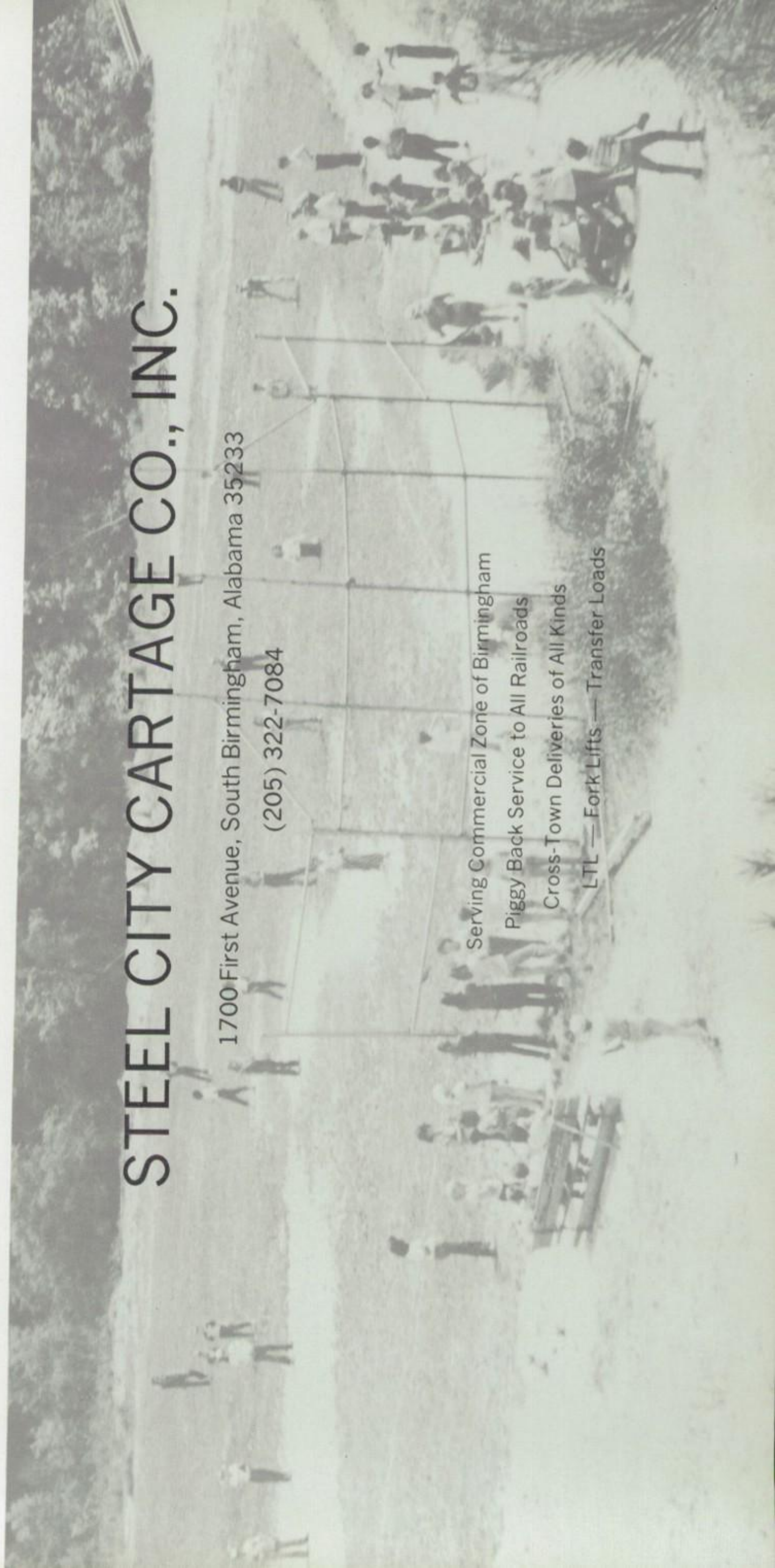


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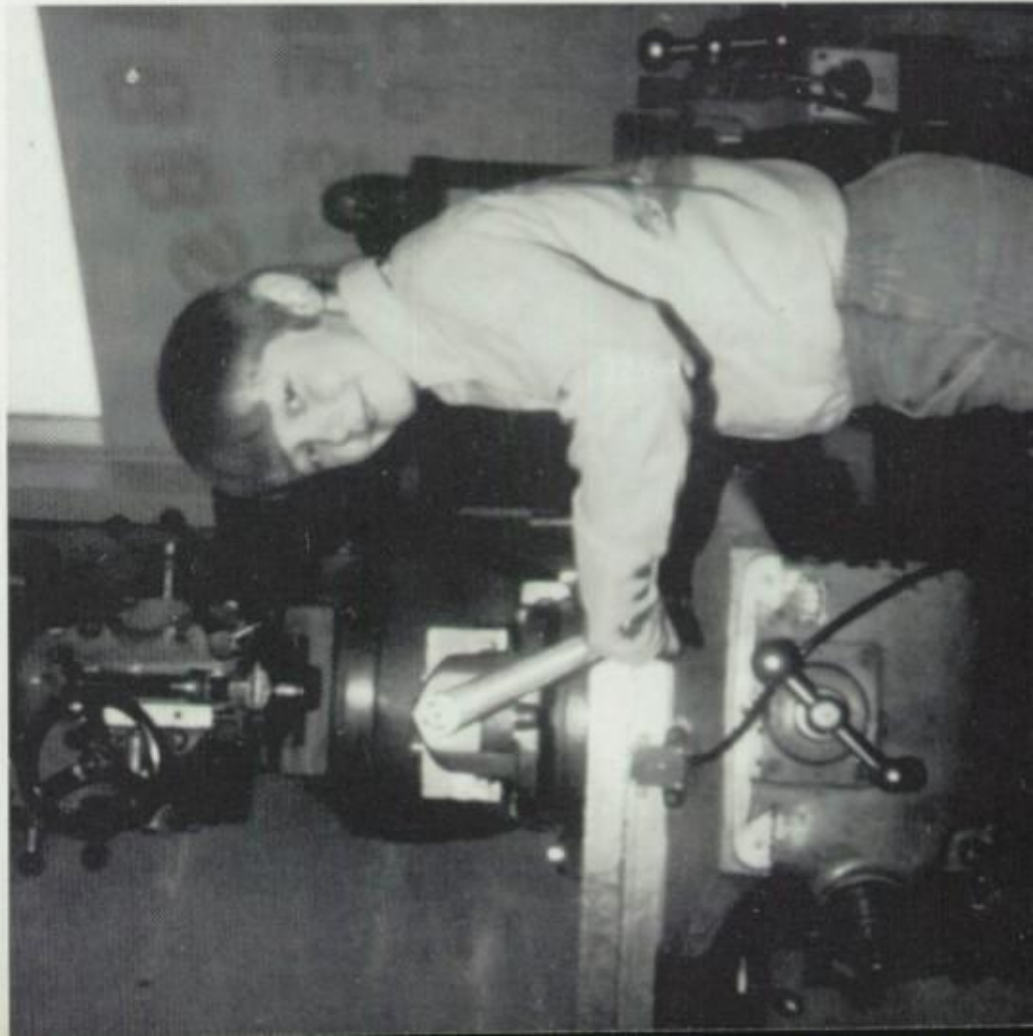
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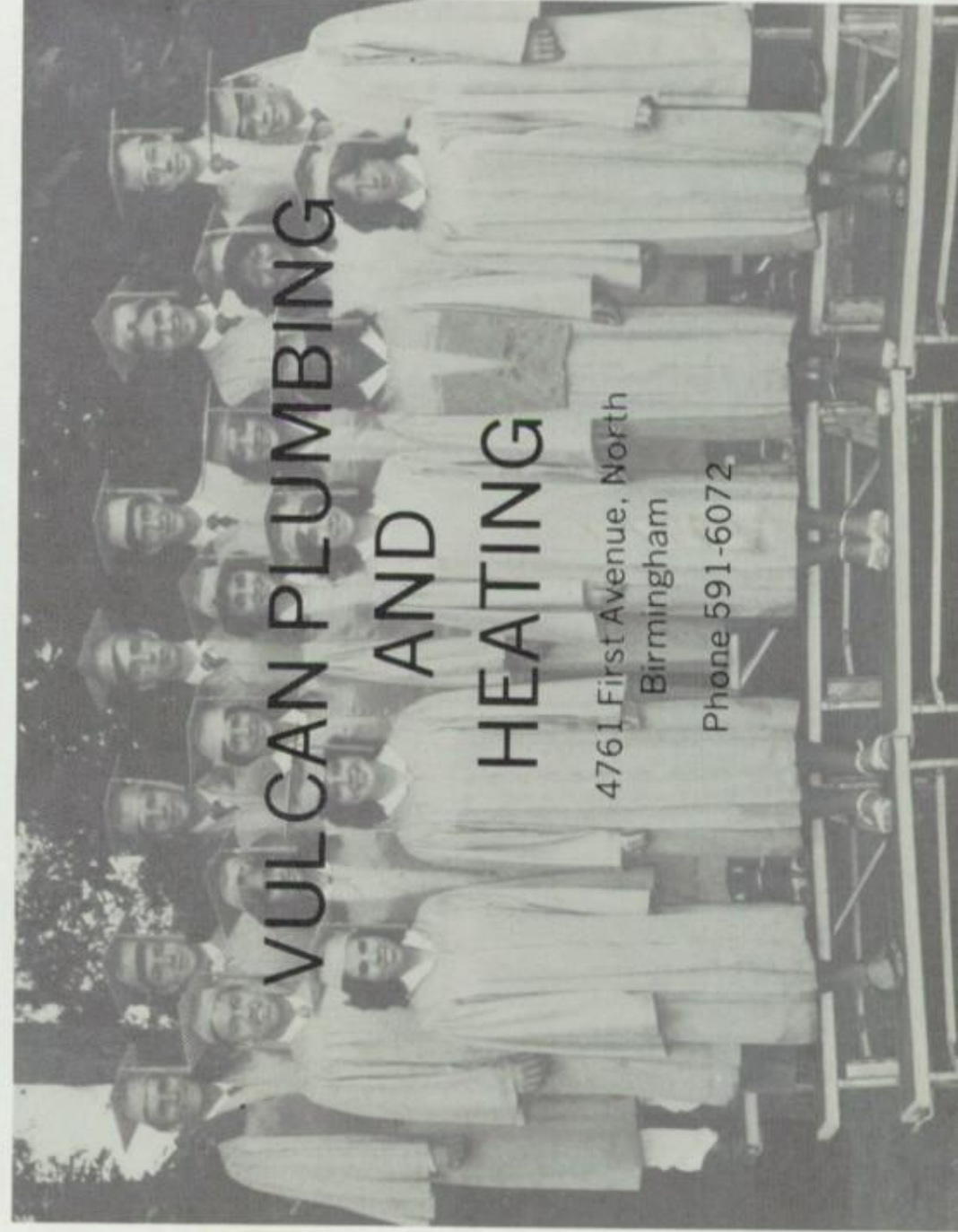
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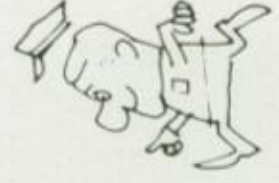
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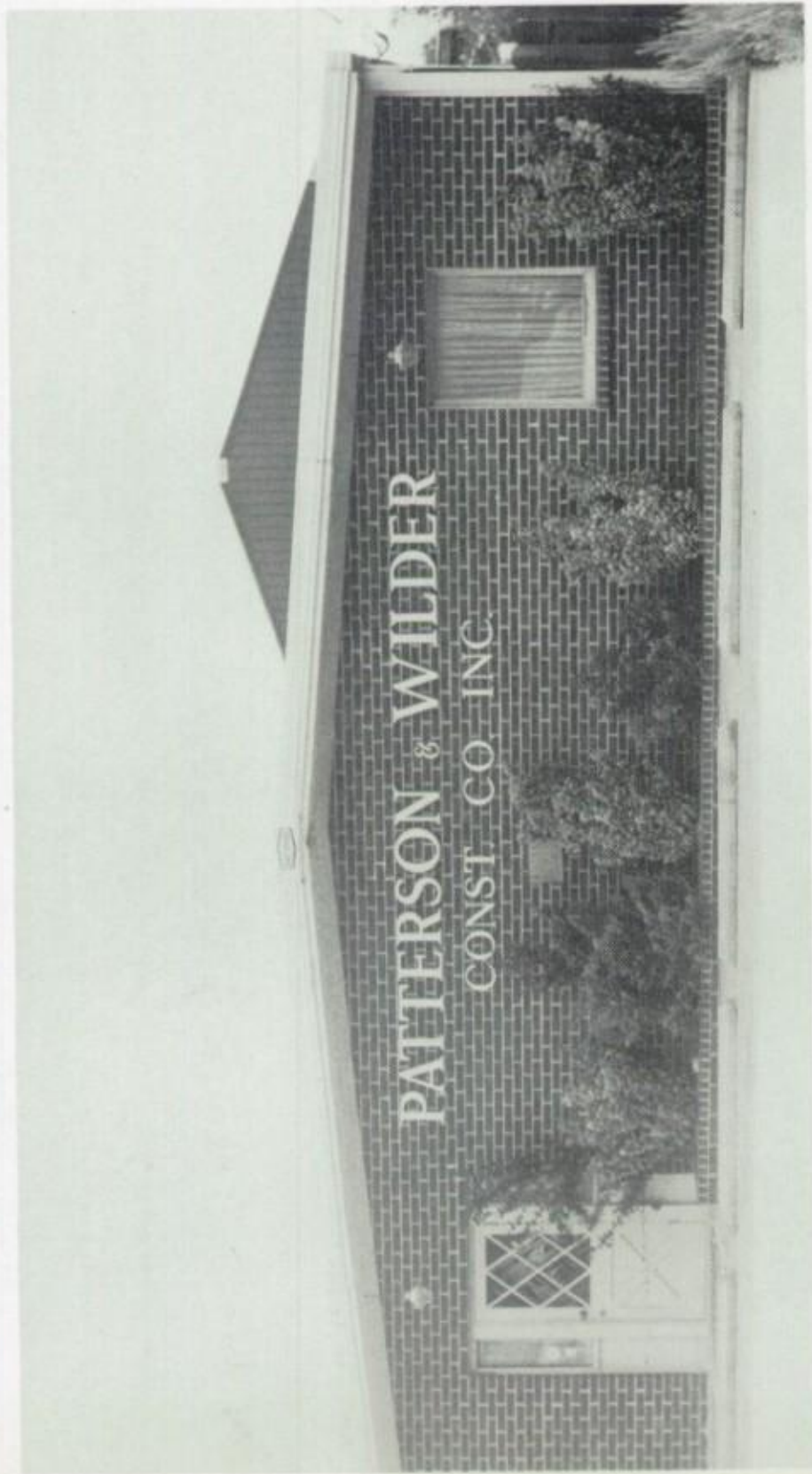
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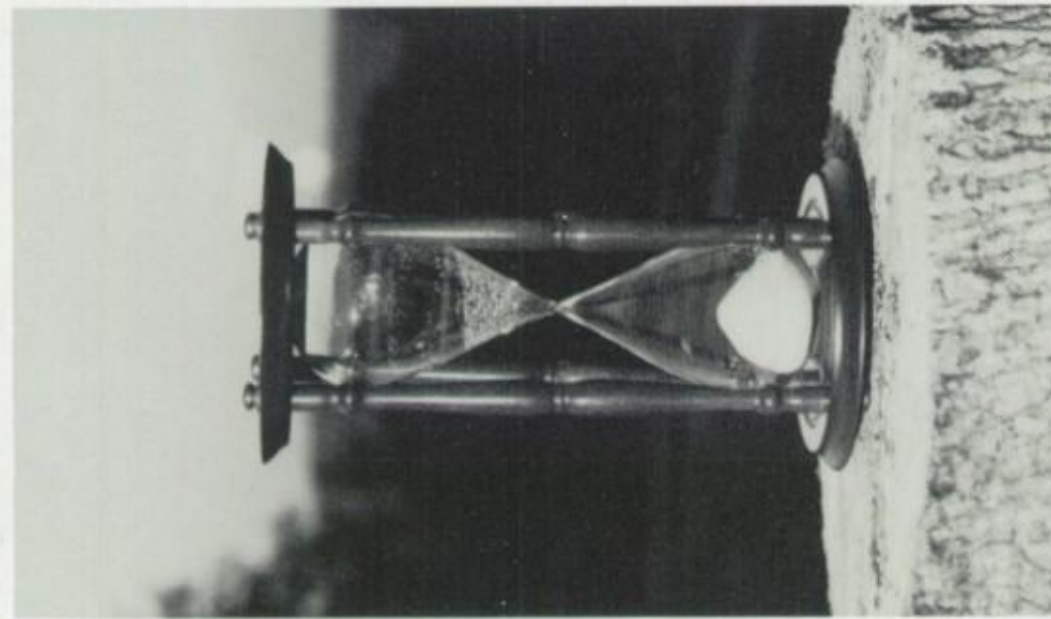
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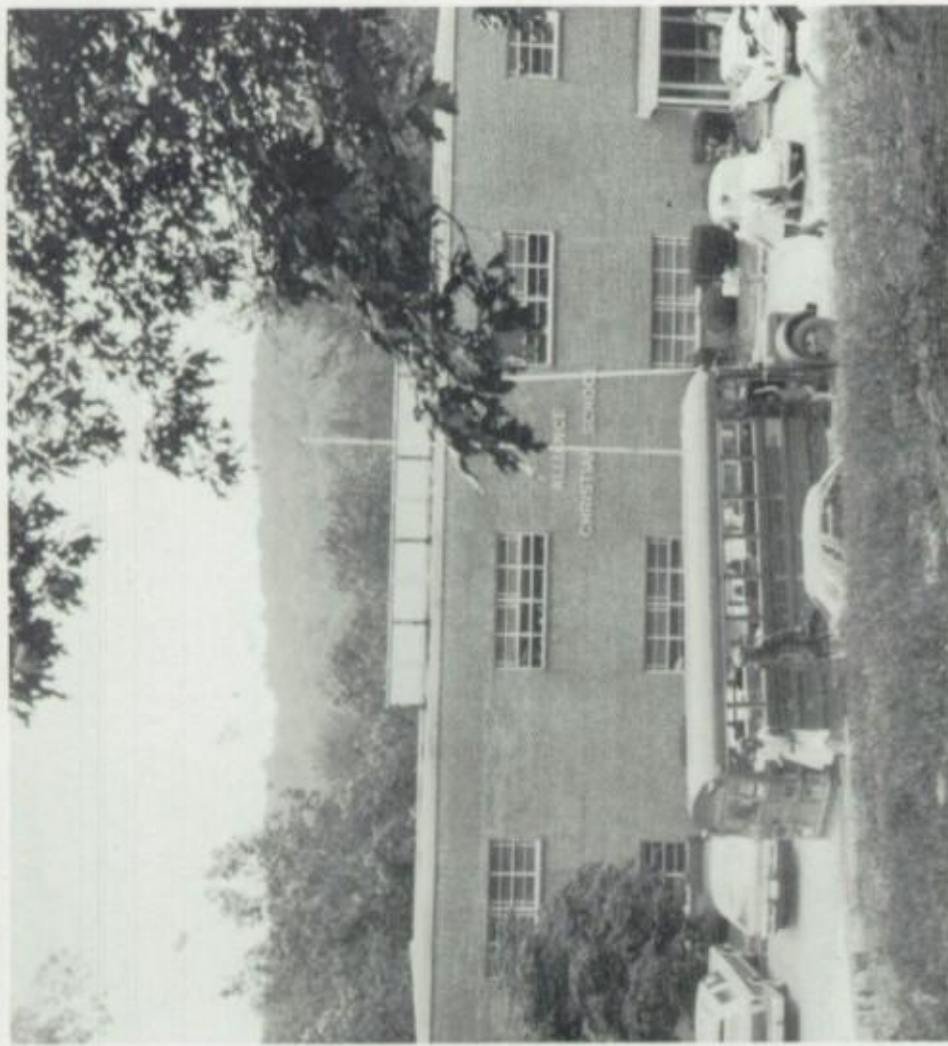


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 ticking away on the clock,
 the minutes turn to hours,
 the hours to days,
 the days to weeks,
 the weeks to months,
 the months — they turn to years,
 and the years melt into decades,
 while the decades become centuries.

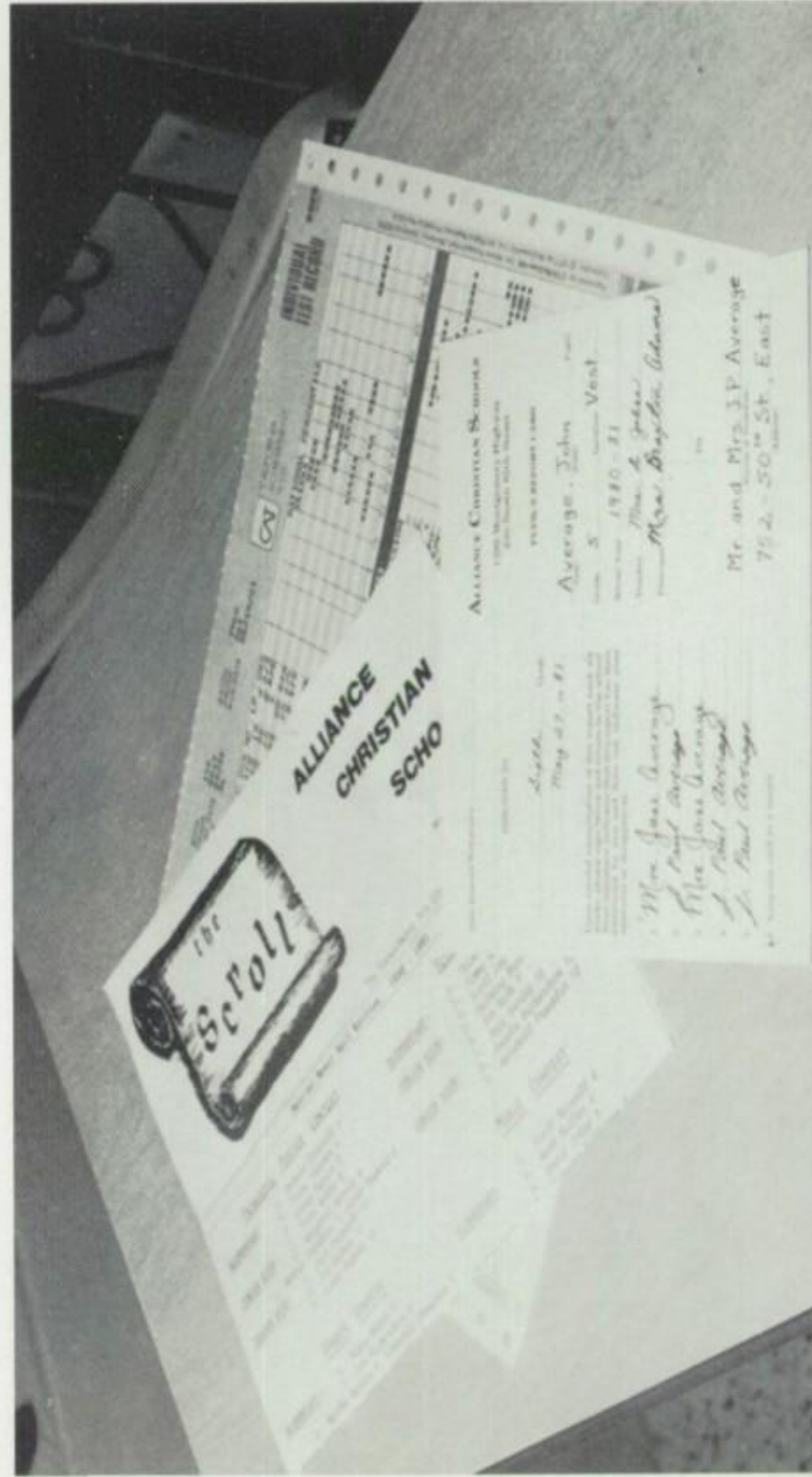
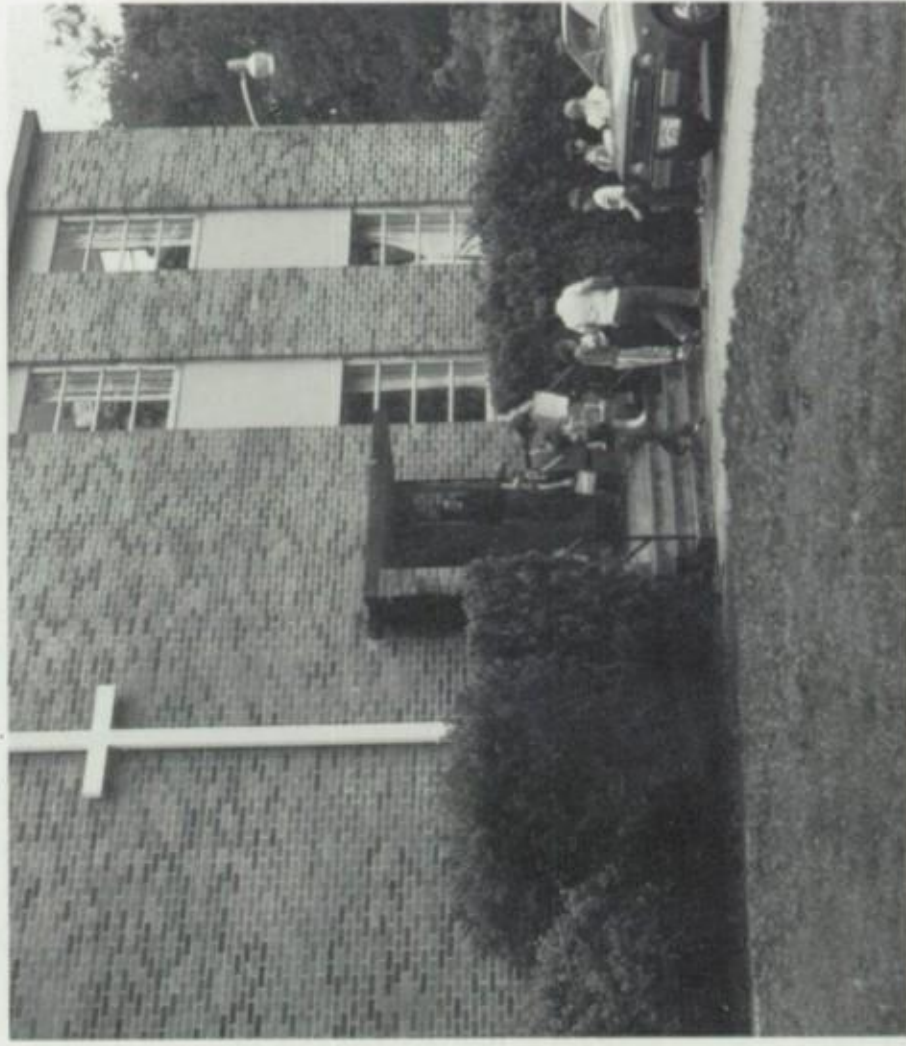
time —
 moving slowly on —
 the moments one by one, slipping into eternity
 never to be lived again;
 take the time you've been given
 and live each space of time
 to the fullest you possibly can



Students leave the Vestavia location of Alliance Christian School on the last day of school.



Miss Alexander watches her Second Grade class at East Lake leave at the end of the day.



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